

MAY PROBE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

BLAME LEADERSHIP IN GOVERNMENT FOR ECONOMIC PROBLEM

Administration Hit By
La Follette At Pro-
gressive Meet

WASHINGTON, March 12.—A breakdown in the industrial, financial and political leadership of America has thrust the nation into an economic depression which forces 25,000,000 persons to suffer in the midst of plenty, the national conference of Progressives was told today by Senator Robert M. La Follette, Jr., at a round-table discussion of the unemployment problem.

A number of liberal-minded business men, labor leaders and legislators endorsed La Follette's legislation of the nation's leaders. Calling on Progressives everywhere to assume leadership in the economic crisis, La Follette suggested they draft a program of legislative and economic remedies which would restore prosperity to the people.

Among remedial measures suggested by La Follette and other speakers were:

Creation of a federal agency to plan emergency work to meet unemployment cycles.

Legislation compelling industry to adopt unemployment insurance.

Use of government ownership of utilities to check private extortion.

Creation of a national economic council to advise the President and Congress on economic issues.

The Hoover administration was assailed throughout the discussion for failing to meet the unemployment problem. La Follette charged the President first tried to minimize conditions and then sought to block all remedial legislation. This was an indirect stab at the presidential veto of the Wagner unemployment relief bill and the administration opposition to federal funds for relieving distress.

La Follette blamed the depression on the public's losses in purchasing power. He said the administration sat idle while this happened and that neither industrial nor financial leadership could solve the problem.

"There is overwhelming evidence of desperate human suffering on the part of millions of our fellow citizens," said La Follette. "Between six and seven millions have been totally unemployed. At least another 5,000,000 have been on such short time schedules that they have been unable to properly support their dependents. Not less than 25,000,000 people in the United States have suffered hardship, privation and want in the midst of plenty."

"The administration lacked either the will or the courage to meet this crisis," La Follette declared. "At first, President Hoover minimized the problem, and then when the facts could no longer be denied, he used the influence of his great office to block the relief measures proposed in Congress and insisted that relief be left entirely to voluntary assistance."

La Follette blamed the "leadership of both parties" for postponing effective relief legislation until next December. He likewise charged industrial and financial leaders with failing to meet the crisis.

KIRKLAND DEFENSE
TO SEEK NEW TRIAL

VALPARAISO, Ind., March 12.—With Virgil Kirkland awaiting formal sentence to life imprisonment for the ravishment and death of Arlene Graves, his 18 year old fiancée, lawyers today were perfecting a defense for four Gary youths who were jointly accused with Kirkland in the girl's death.

Kirkland's four companions probably will wait six weeks before their cases start. The four are Leon Stanford, David Thompson, Paul Barton and Henry Shirk. It was at Thompson's home that the fatal liquor party was held last November.

When young Kirkland, former high school football hero of Gary, is taken before Judge Grant Crum-packer next Monday for sentence his attorneys will appeal on the plea that a "mystery woman" witness has been found, who will testify that Arlene Graves had been having an affair with a girl who was jealous of Kirkland's attentions.

Kirkland probably will be taken to the Michigan City Penitentiary immediately after sentence is passed Monday.

SLICE IS NEGLIGENT

CHICAGO, March 12.—A golfer who slices a "drive" negligently, the appellate court had ruled today when it directed a large department store to pay \$8,500 to J. L. Francis, 38. While Francis was watching Joe Kirkwood, golf professional, drive balls into the net at the store a sliced drive struck him in the eye, blinding him. The court ruled a slice was not accidental.

BILL IS REVIEWED

COLUMBUS, O., March 12.—Hope for a driver's license law for Ohio was revived today in the state legislature when the senate finance committee determined to attempt to correct objectionable provisions of present bills in a substitute measure.

MOTHER COMFORTS CONVICTED SLAYER



Virgil Kirkland, found guilty at Valparaiso, Ind., of the murder of his sweetheart, Arlene Graves of Gary, Ind., is comforted by his mother, Mrs. Elmer Kirkland. "O my darling," she sobbed, as she clasped the youth in her arms. Young Kirkland must serve life. His parents mortgaged their house for his defense.

PROBERS FOLLOW HAIR STRAND AS DEATH CLEW

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 12.—Police and criminologists searching for the slayer of Virginia Brooks, 10 years old, today pinned their hopes of solving the brutal murder of two strands of hair found clutched in the dead girl's hand.

The child's battered and dismembered body was found wrapped in a burlap bag on Camp Kearney Mesa Tuesday, one month after she vanished on her way to school. Automobile tire tracks found near the body have failed to produce a tangible clue as to the slayer.

Two suspects were arrested and grilled and one of them, a chicken rancher, was ordered released when microscopic tests of strands of his hair proved to be of a different color and texture than those found with the girl's body.

The other suspect, D. J. Bryan, a youth said to have broken parole from a state institution, after his arrest in connection with a girl case, was held pending a microscopic test of his hair.

PANTAGES OUT
UNDER BOND IN
PROBE OF MART

Charges "Frame-Up"
When Arraigned In
San Diego

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 12.—Alexander Pantages, wealthy theater magnate under sentence on a previous statutory charge, was at liberty on \$25,000 bonds today following his arraignment on a charge of having committed a criminal offense against a young girl in the Hollywood "love bazaar" case.

Asserting that the charges were a "frame-up," Pantages asserted that he would fight the case to the limit. He returned from Agua Caliente, Mex., to surrender for arraignment.

John P. Mills, realty dealer, and former partner of Pantages, was arraigned in the same justice court yesterday on similar charges. He likewise posted \$25,000 bonds. Hearings for Pantages and Mills were set for April 13.

Jesse Shreve, third member of the realty syndicate of Pantages-Mills-Shreve Company, had been arraigned previously and his hearing set for March 31.

All three men have been charged with conspiracy to commit a statutory offense and to violate the state juvenile delinquency act. Alice Blake, 16, otherwise known as Lydia Nitto, and Helen Livingstone, 19, were named as the complaining witnesses.

ACTRESS DENIES
PLANNING DIVORCE

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 12.—Ine Claire today emphatically denied a report that she had established a residence in Reno, Nev., for the purpose of filing a divorce suit against John Gilbert, motion picture star.

"I have not established a residence in Reno," the stage and screen star said. "I do not intend to establish a residence in Reno. My home is in Hollywood and I am very busy working on my picture."

MAY CHANGE NAVAL ACCORD

STIMSON SUGGESTS REVISIONS IN PACT BEFORE COMPLETED

Europe Hails Accord As
Ending Rivalry Of
Nations

LONDON, March 12.—At the suggestion of the United States government, the Anglo-Franco-Italian naval accord very probably will be subjected to drastic changes before being whipped into treaty shape, International News Service today learned from an authoritative source.

The suggestion was received in the form of a lengthy but mysterious communication from Secretary of State Stimson at Washington. Government officials remained non-committal on the matter.

Europe, with some qualifications, hailed the naval agreement today, viewing it as a death knell to naval rivalry between nations.

The agreement, not to go into effect until after actual approval by Washington and Tokyo, was looked upon with favor by the various governments. However, there was some disappointment and attacks upon it by political elements in the British House of Commons.

Essentially, it provides for French superiority of 150,000 tons over Italy, definitely limiting rival construction by the Mediterranean powers until December, 1936. It was held probable here that the document will not be incorporated as a part of the London naval treaty of 1930 until after the world disarmament conference at Geneva next year.

The reading of the terms of the new pact was listened to by a meagre audience and with lukewarm interest in the House of Commons, where it was sharply criticized by conservatives as further concessions by Great Britain without return sacrifice by the other powers involved.

The British press maintained a critical attitude, although in general welcoming the pact.

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THEATER MAGNATE IS SLAIN; YOUNG WIFE HELD FOR SHOOTING

STRANGE SUICIDE



An investigation of the strange shipboard suicide of Henry Sammartino, above, wealthy Italian of Youngstown, O., has been requested by his family. "Terrorized, he took his own life, according to an official verdict, while the ship on which he was a passenger was sailing through the Panama Canal. Sammartino is reported to have lost \$1,300 in cash and \$2,800 in checks to card sharps during the voyage. When his fellow card players learned he had stopped payment on the checks, it is said they disembarked at Havana, first warning him that he would be put on the spot as soon as he stepped ashore."

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MEASURE DESIGNED TO CURTAIL POWERS OF DIRECTOR DRAWN

Would Name Committee
To Probe Dictation
By Department

COLUMBUS, O., March 12.—With the wrapper hardly off its newest investigation—the proposed probe of the state office building commission—the inquiry-minded state legislature indicated today that it probably will look into the affairs of the state department of education.

A bill to curtail the powers of the state director of education was to be tossed into the assembly by Senator D. J. Gunsett (D) of Van Wert this afternoon during the midst of a scrap between the house and the senate over whether the date of adjournment shall be April 3 or April 10.

Meanwhile, Senator Walter G. Nickels (R) of New Philadelphia, was pressing his resolution, introduced late yesterday, to pry into the activities of the state office building commission.

Nickels' resolution, calling attention to the fact that \$500,000 above the original \$5,000,000 office building appropriation has been asked for a heating and lighting plant, provides for an actual senatorial investigation.

Gunsett's proposal will provide, not for an investigation, but for a reduction of important powers of the director of education which only might be ordered after a close study of the practices of the office by individual legislators or a committee.

Senator Gunsett admitted that his bill will be submitted as an outgrowth of the revocation of a first-class charter of a high school in his own county.

Charging that the department has been guilty of ridiculous and unreasonable demands," Gunsett said his bill will prohibit the director from revoking charters for "insufficiency of gymnasiums" and for "failure to hold school at least nine months a year."

In Van Wert County, he said, a charter was ordered rejected because one school district rejected a bond issue which the department insisted was necessary to provide a new gymnasium.

Gunsett added that "school boards have to juggle their finances hard enough to keep schools going eight months without trying to run nine months in every case." He said the nine-months ruling ought to be rescinded in the opinion of many rural school districts.

Senators Charles J. Anderson (R) of Shelby, Paul P. Yoder (D) of Dayton, Louis J. Eberle (D) of Nelsonville, Nils P. Johnson (R) of Youngstown, and Gunsett and Nickels are named the investigating committee proposed in the resolution calling for the office building probe.

A complete inquiry into the methods of letting contracts, the selection and purchase of materials, and the reason for the additional appropriation is demanded. Disagreement over the date of the assembly's adjournment developed late yesterday in a caucus of the entire senate when the speaker called for a vote.

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LORAIN BLOCK RAZED BY FIRE

Fight Stubborn Blaze
For Seven Hours

LORAIN, O., March 12.—A spectacular fire razed today a business block in the downtown section of Lorain today, resulting in a damage estimated at more than \$50,000.

Fire Chief David E. Hatt declared the fire was one of the most disastrous in the history of Lorain. Firemen battled the flames for nearly seven hours before getting them under control.

Twenty persons, residing in the second-floor of the fire-swept structure, were forced to flee to the street. All escaped uninjured.

A two-story building, located at 325-333 Broadway, the city's main thoroughfare, was burned to the ground. The structure had been a landmark for years.

The destroyed building was occupied by the Bretz Book and Music Store, the Burgett Electric Company and the Roma Restaurant. None of the equipment in any of the stores was saved.

Cause of the fire was not determined.

MEXICO TO PROBE
SEIZURE OF PLANE

MEXICO CITY, March 12.—The secretary of the Mexican air ministry today announced a personal investigation into reports that a large Italian seaplane reportedly occupied by Americans was seized in the harbor of Arequipa by port authorities.

According to information, it was believed the airmen were engaged in photographing Mexican ports on the Pacific coast without having obtained governmental permission.

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INDUSTRIAL PLAN DISCUSSED BEFORE ANTIOCH STUDENTS

The plan of the Dennison Manufacturing Co. for unemployment prevention and relief was explained by J. A. Garvey, personnel director of the company before students of Antioch College Wednesday.

President Arthur E. Morgan described the Dennison Company as "one of the most interesting industrial concerns in the country," in introducing the speaker. Henry Dennison, president of the company is a trustee of Antioch, practically turned the business over to employees when he became president. The company's plan for unemployment prevention was described as follows:

"First, in times of good business, new products were to be held back, and got ready for the market, until the inevitable recession should take place, and then released for the sales force to use for pick-up rather than the old products."

"This seems a simple principle," Mr. Garvey remarked, "but it is a fact that many companies have brought out all their new products at a time when their factories could not begin to take care of the orders, with resulting disorder in both the good and bad business periods."

"Second, in good times, the advertising budget was to be saved for the time when business began to fall off; then used to help the sales force in all possible ways."

"Third, products were to be manufactured in periods of depression and kept until the time business began to pick up."

"Fourth, the employment force was to be kept as even as possible, avoiding undue overlapping in good times and laying-off in bad times."

CUPID GETS HIM



Hiram Dempsey, 73, above, father of Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion of the world, is a happy bridegroom again. He has taken unto himself a third wife, Mrs. Hannah Lyle Chapman, 36, in Salt Lake City. He is divorced from the ex-champion's mother, Mrs. Cecelia Dempsey, also of Salt Lake City.

MANY AUTOMOBILES
MEXICO CITY, March 12.—In the federal district, in which Mexico City is located, there are 20,154 automobiles, according to a recent check. Of this number, 8,243 were being used as taxicabs, 9,405 were private cars and 1,506 were listed as "official" cars of governmental officials.

CIGAR STORE HERE TO CHANGE HANDS

Purchase of the Harness Cigar Store, 31 E. Main St., is being announced by George H. Smith, 678 S. Detroit St., carpenter, who reveals ownership of the business will change hands Monday, March 15. Orle A. Harness, who has been proprietor of the store for a number of years, has not announced his future plans.

ELEAZER

Mrs. Laverne Fulton, Alliance, O., who spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faulkner, returned to her home Saturday.

Wayne Thomas, who underwent an operation at McClellan Hospital last week is improving nicely.

Miss Mary Smith began her duties as nurse at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Earley entertained twenty-five members and friends of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Eleazer M. P. Church at her home Wednesday afternoon. After a business meeting Mrs. Earley served an ice course. The next meeting will be held in April at the home of Mrs. Charles Lewis.

NEW BURLINGTON

The funeral of Edith Hormell, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hormell, took place at the M. E. Church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were in charge of the Rev. John Kilmer. Burial was made in the Springfield cemetery, near Ogden.

Mrs. W. C. Smith spent Sunday with her husband who is convalescing in a sanitarium at Delaware. Andrew Hutchinson and Charles Wagner of Xenia, were in charge

of the services at the Friends Church Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Kilmer entertained the Sharon Ladies Aid Society at the parsonage Thursday afternoon.

Harold Conard was out of school the past week with an attack of grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson received word Saturday of the death of their daughter, Mrs. Henry Dale of Dayton, following an operation for gall stones. The funeral took place Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linkhart of Xenia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brickell Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Mills has been ill with a severe attack of grip, the past week.

Relatives here received word last week of the death of Mrs. Daisy Lemar Waddill, who died February 22 at her home in Kirksville, Mo., after a short illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Waddill was the daughter of Oscar and Martha Reeves Lemar, and was a resident of this place until she was grown to womanhood. She was fifty-three years of age. She was a member of the M. E. Church, the Eastern Star and the White Shrine of that city.

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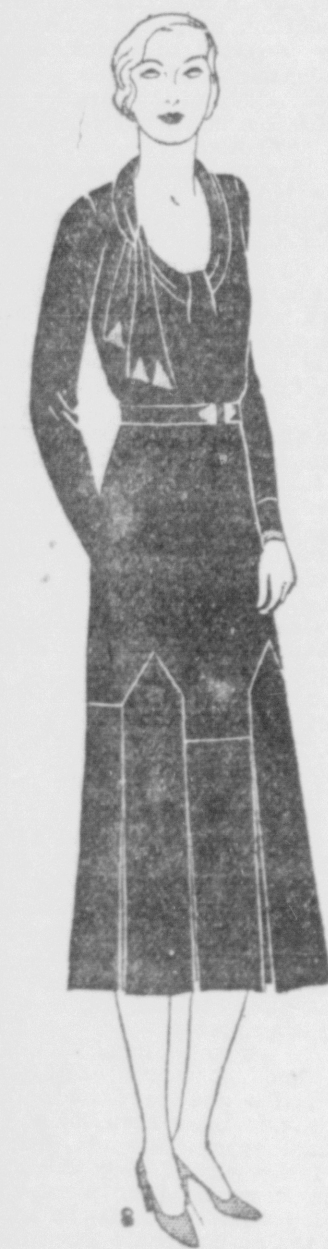
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Mrs. Inez Armstrong New O. E. S. President

MRS. INEZ ARMSTRONG, Oshkosh, Wis., member of Antioch chapter, No. 445, O. E. S., was elected president of the newly-organized twenty-third district of Ohio, Order of the Eastern Star, at the eighth annual session of the district at the Masonic Hall, Jamestown, Wednesday, with members of the Jamestown Chapter, No. 141, as hostesses. Mrs. Armstrong succeeds Miss Florence Swan, this city, as president.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. Cora Bradley, West Jefferson, vice president; Mrs. Mae Robinson, Jamestown, secretary and Mrs. Louise D. Slaughter, Sedalia, re-elected treasurer.

The day's session, with between 350 and 400 Eastern Stars in attendance, was opened at 10 a. m. by Mrs. Grace Thompson, London, first president of the district. During the business meeting the date of the annual meeting was changed from the second Wednesday in March to January, the date to suit the convenience of the new incoming worthy grand matron and the executive board. An amendment was made to the constitution to change the name of the eighteenth district of Ohio, which comprises Madison, Champaign, Clark and Greene Counties to the twenty-third district which comprises Madison, Clark and Greene Counties.

Luncheon was served at noon by women of Jamestown Grange in the Grange Hall and the Pythian Sisters in the K. of P. Hall. The afternoon program opened at 1:30 o'clock. A school of instruction was held during the afternoon followed by an address, "Is It Worth While?" by Mrs. Olive Willems, Akron, associate grand matron of Ohio. Mrs. Willems and Mrs. Harriette Zimmerman, deputy, were presented bouquets of

MISSIONARY LUNCHEON IS DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

A St. Patrick's Day luncheon was enjoyed by thirty-six members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Reformed Church at the home of Mrs. M. L. Wolf, N. King St., Wednesday. A three-course luncheon was served at 12:30 o'clock and guests were seated at small tables, attractively decorated with green tapers and shamrocks.

Following the luncheon an entertaining talk on India was given by Mrs. B. Dale White (Janet Ballyntyne), returned missionary from that country. Later a short business meeting was held. Hostesses assisting Mrs. Wolf were: Mrs. W. L. Miller, Mrs. Edwin Buck, Mrs. Meda Gowdy, Mrs. Flora Conklin, Mrs. L. L. Trader, Mrs. Jacob Marshall and Mrs. J. E. Cowden.

roses by the 1931 matrons and Miss Swan was presented a silver cake tray, in recognition of her services as president. Special music during the afternoon consisted of solos by Mrs. Raymond Wolf, Mrs. Elwood Swan and Mr. Lawrence Wagner, accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Denham, this city.

Invitations were extended from Sterling Chapter, No. 74, Mt. Sterling and Neal Chapter, No. 552, Springfield, to meet with them in January 1932 for the next annual meeting. The invitation of Neal Chapter was accepted.

Grand officers of the order present at Wednesday's session were: Mrs. Elma Hullinger, Springfield, junior past grand matron; Mrs. Bessie F. Boice, Columbus, past grand matron and grand secretary; Mrs. Hazel Beach, London, past grand matron and grand treasurer; Mrs. Minnie Shelley, Xenia, grand representative of Colorado; Mrs. Ethel Webster, Springfield, grand representative of Oklahoma; Mrs. Emma Siffr, London, grand representative of Idaho; Mrs. Olive Willems, Akron, associate grand matron and Mrs. Harriette Zimmerman, South Charleston, deputy grand matron.

BUSINESS WOMEN WILL PUNISH WORLD COURT

Business Women's Week will be observed by the Xenia Business and Professional Women's Club at a special dinner meeting at the Coll-Inn Thursday evening.

International relations, in which the National Federation of B. and P. W. Clubs is interested, will be given attention by a presentation of the World Court question, two speakers setting out opposite views of the attitude that should be taken by the United States regarding the matter.

Miss Margaret Baker Springfield, state B.P.W. legislative chairman and Miss Hazel Schwab, a member of the Xenia club, will be the speakers. Dinner at 6:45 will be preceded by a meeting of the executive board of the club at the probate court at 6:15, and others who will attend the dinner are asked to meet there in time to go in a body to the Inn. The Green St. entrance to the Court House should be used.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Le Sourd, W. Market St., are expected to arrive home Friday after spending several days in New York City. En route home they spent several days in Philadelphia with Mr. Le Sourd's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank DuBois.

Mr. Frank L. Johnson, N. Gallows St., is spending several days this week in Chicago on business.

PRESBYTERIAN MEN TO HOLD SUPPER MEETING

Prof. L. E. Wolf, of the O. S. and S. O. Home faculty, will talk on "The Rejected Books of the New Testament" at a supper meeting of the men of the Presbyterian Church at the church Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the church, under the leadership of Mrs. George Baldner, will serve the supper to which all men of the church and their friends are invited. Reservations should be made with Messrs. George Tiffany, D. D. Jones or L. F. Clark.

Members of the J. F. F. Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Manor, Treblein Road, Friday evening. All members are invited to attend.

Irwin and Mary Elizabeth Ford are ill at their home on the Hook Road suffering from the mumps.

The Children's Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. Church will meet at the church Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The theme of the meeting will be "On the Edge of Chinatown" and children taking part in the program will be dressed in Chinese costumes. All children of the Sunday School are invited to attend the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall and son, Jimmy, who have been ill at their home, 39 1-2 W. Second St., with the grip, are now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. George Finn (Ardis Jack), 701 S. Detroit St., are announcing the birth of a daughter at their home Thursday morning.

Leslie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy King, Dayton Ave., is ill at her home with the mumps.

Trinity M. E. Church choir will meet for rehearsal Friday evening at 7 o'clock. All members are requested to be present to practice Easter music.

Mrs. W. J. Kennedy, Mrs. R. E. Dunkel, Mrs. O. J. Lowe, Mrs. C. E. Wilkin and Mrs. Harold Owens, this city, spent Wednesday in Cincinnati where they attended the national flower show.

Marilyn Jane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. John, N. Gallows St., is ill with the mumps.

Mr. T. V. Hiffe, Civil War veteran, who has been ill at his home in Cedarville several weeks, remains in about the same condition and is still confined to his bed.

Miss Adrian Dangas, Little St., who has been ill at her home the past week with the mumps, is now improving.

Miss Charlene Wilson, W. Church St., who has been seriously ill two weeks, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Reed Madden, W. Church St., accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Henry Bieler, Denver, Colo., left Thursday morning by motor for Pittsburgh to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hevenston.

Mrs. W. H. Tilford, N. Detroit St., is slowly improving from an attack of bronchial pneumonia and is still confined to Espey Hospital.

Mrs. W. B. McCallister, N. King St., who underwent a serious operation at McClellan Hospital Monday morning, is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

FATHER OF XENIAN CALLED BY DEATH

Henry W. Matson, 50, Wilmington, father of Fred Matson, High and Chestnut Sts., this city, died suddenly at his home on High St., Wilmington, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. He suffered a stroke of apoplexy after he had gone to his work at the Irwin Auger Bit Co., and died half an hour after he had been removed to his home.

Mr. Matson is survived by three sons: Fred, this city and Edwin and Maynard, at home. Two half brothers also survive: Lawrence Matson, Sabina and Roy Matson, Dayton. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Arthur Funeral Home, Wilmington, and burial will be made in Sugar Grove Cemetery.

CHICKENS STOLEN

At least forty-five chickens of various varieties were stolen by thieves who broke locks on three brooder houses on the farm of Mrs. John Kline, Punderburg Road, sometime Wednesday night, according to a report made to the sheriff's office, the robbery making the third visit of chicken thieves to this farm in recent months. Mrs. Kline heard the motor of an auto about 2 p. m., but attached no importance to it, she said. Deputy Sheriff Walton Spahr investigated the theft.

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WM. HUGH MILLER

William Hugh Miller, musical director in the Xenia public school for the last three years, has been granted a year's leave of absence by the city board of education, effective this week-end. Mr. Miller, who taught for one year at West Carrollton, O., before coming to Xenia, sought the leave because of a physical breakdown and he and Mrs. Miller will go to their former home in Springfield. His successor as music supervisor has not been selected by the school board.

SWALLOWS BUTTON

LORAIN, O., March 12.—Three-year-old Jerry Freedman likely will never need a history to aid him in remembering George Washington. The baby nearly strangled when a button bearing the first president's picture became lodged in his throat. Only the quick action of his mother saved him from death.

BANDITS CONTINUE TO AVOID ARREST

Lacking tangible clues, other than the unconfirmed report the bandits drove away in a Ford coupe bearing Illinois license plates, city and county authorities still sought Thursday to trace two men, one of whom held up Miss Grace Simbro, manager of the Xenia branch of the Springfield Loan Co., E. Main St., gagged her, bound her hands and feet, then took \$50 from the safe and \$25 more from her purse in a daring daylight robbery early Wednesday afternoon.



All registered Scouts of Troop 43 wishing to take part in the Scout circus at Springfield are asked to meet at the Scout room, W. Main St., Friday promptly at 6 p. m. There will be a way provided for each Scout to get to the circus according to Paul McFarland, scoutmaster.

MUNICIPAL COURT

FINED ON CHARGE

Found in possession of several pints of whiskey when arrested by police Wednesday, Edward Mays, 32, Cincinnati Ave., was fined \$100 and costs by Municipal Judge E. Dawson Smith, Thursday morning. He pleaded guilty and paid the assessment.

TEACH STAGECRAFT

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—Students of the University of California at Los Angeles now can learn subjects useful to careers on the stage. The school has just installed courses in costume design, useful also in dressmaking; and stage settings, which are helpful to interior decorators.

HAS MANY "GREATS"

RAVENNA, O., March 12.—As an aftermath of an informal grandparent contest that developed here recently, Virginia Sheller, of Garrettsville, O., emerged the record holder. She submitted a list of twelve grandparents, including "great and great-greats." Their combined ages total 779 years.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

I thank God, whom I serve from my forefathers with pure conscience, that without ceasing I have remembrance of thee in my prayers night and day; Greatly desiring to see thee, being mindful of thy tears, that I may be filled with joy.—Timothy 1, 3, 4.

RUSSIA'S WAR

New anti-religious measures are being inaugurated in Moscow for the purpose of nullifying the observance of Lent, which in the Eastern Orthodox church begins thirteen days later than it does in its part of the world. According to an account that comes through Geneva, the Soviet regime for the first time is admitting a connection with the "Association of Militant Godless," and the commissar of education in Moscow has issued a decree ordering "publication of circulars on methods of anti-religious education in the primary schools, the production of anti-religious films for children, and the editing of programs for anti-religious education among school superintendents." A general campaign is to be started all over the country. With unconscious ghastly humor the correspondent uses the word "crusade."

It is quite possible that up to a certain point the self-styled atheists may succeed in their mentally uncouth fight to exterminate what they aver is non-existent. They may be able to force the Russian church into a condition close to a state of extinction; and they may be able to breed up a generation of materialistic, semi-bestial victims. But it is quite beyond the power of any man or group of men really to exterminate religion or to prevent the practice of some form of it for any length of time. The thing simply can't be done, because the religious instinct is almost as ingrained as the instinct to eat or reproduce.

The most the Soviet overlords will be able to achieve will be the substitution of fetishism or sex worship for the religion which has been taught in the Russian churches. In other words, they may drive the Russian peasant to take refuge in some form of that primitive superstition out of which enlightened forms of faith have more or less emerged. With the Russians the throwback process may not be difficult to achieve, because some millions of them even now are not much beyond the witchcraft, grosser Venus stage of development.

ASKING FOR THINGS

If a man was out of work the past winter, and if he just sat down in his living room, and trusted to his general reputation to get him a job he is probably sitting there still. He can not expect to be employed, unless he asks for a job, and he will quite likely have to ask a good many times.

Similarly with business concerns that would like more trade. If they simply wait for trade to come, they can expect to come out like the man who waits for employers to call on him. They should expect to wait a long time, unless they proceed to ask for more trade through advertising.

"The idea that woman talks more than man has been refuted. The lone woman on the Wickersham commission turned in the shortest report."—Los Angeles Times. She wasn't talking, she was writing.

It might help some in Chicago if the police would gather in all the rival gangsters and confine them in one big room over night, without taking away their arms, and allow nature to act in a normal way.

But will Mr. Raskob let the Democrats have their band wagon before they pay the balance due on the chattel mortgage?

ALL of US

—By—
MARSHALL MASLIN

THE GYPSIES COME!

Around the town, up and down Main street, in and out of the houses, through every disciplined school room, the word would fly. And every small boy in my home town would hear it and everyone of them would brighten up and his eyes would sparkle and he'd know what he was going to do that afternoon, the minute school was out.

What was that word, what was the news that made a small boy's eyes shine and the blood race all through him and sent a shiver along his spine? Perhaps you're too old, but I hope you'll never be too old to know what it used to mean to small boys when they heard the Gypsies had come to town.

I'll admit it: The Gypsies weren't Nice People. They were dark and they dressed differently and their eyes flashed and they were dirty and they stole when they could and they trespassed on other folk's land and they talked an outlandish lingo. But they were color and romance and strange beings from unknown trails and they brought wildness into little settled hearts.

TRAILING TO THEIR CAMP

We weren't supposed to have anything to do with them, with those Gypsies. We were told they might Steal Us, they might Stick a Knife Into Us. You could never tell what a Gypsy would do.

But we wouldn't keep away from them. We'd follow them down the street and into stores and out again. We'd hear them telling fortunes.

... We were fascinated.

A flash of color down the street, three graceful figures in orange and red and blue and green—and away would fly all Obedience, all memory of What Mother Said. And sooner or later we'd find ourselves trailing out the road that led to the creek where the Gypsies were camped.

ADVENTURE—ROMANCE

And there we'd hang around till the sun went down and fires were lit and the darkness crept close and we ran, breathless, home to supper, with our cheeks flushed and our memories full of vague aches and dreams.

Those dark fellows with gold rings in their ears, those slim girls with black braids, even those bent grandmothers and those sturdy mothers who nursed their babies at their great breasts—right before our half-ashamed eyes!—were Gypsies.

They'd been places, too, and they'd seen things. . . . They owned hardly anything, they had no chores, they had neither possessions nor obligations, and they charmed us for days upon days after they had cracked and shouted their day into memory.

I've grown older, I hardly think I'd lurk about a Gypsy campfire now, and I don't believe what I did about the romance of vagabondage—but I still envy those youngsters who went mad when the Gypsies came to town. Because those Gypsies are still a splash of color to me, and their fires still gleam through the thicket of the years, and I'm glad I saw Gypsies when I was a boy.

THE QUESTION BOX

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How many languages are spoken in the world?
The French Academy estimates that there are 2,796 actual languages spoken at the present time.

SUBWAY

When was the first subway opened in New York?
The first New York subway opened October 27, 1904, with 62 miles of track.

INDIAN SCHOOL

Where was the first Indian school in Arizona?
The first Indian school in Arizona was at San Tan. It was a government day school for Pima Indian children and was opened February 15, 1871.

PORTAL OF PEACE

Where and what is the Portal of Peace?
In honor of the peace between the United States and Canada, which has lasted for more than 100 years without a break, on September 5, 1921, a massive concrete structure in the form of a gateway was erected at Blaine, Wash. This memorial, known as the Portal of Peace, cost \$40,000, and stands 100 yards from the international boundary where the forty-ninth parallel meets Boundary Bay.

STAMPS

Can unused postage stamps be redeemed at the postoffice for cash?
According to postal regulations, adhesive postage stamps are not redeemable, nor can they be exchanged at the postoffice for other stamps.

PRESIDENT

Which president refused to witness the inauguration of his successor?
John Adams refused to accompany Thomas Jefferson to the capitol to take the oath of office in what is now the chamber of the supreme court.

MARCH

How many of our presidents were born in March?
There have been four presidents born in March. James Madison was born March 16, 1751; Andrew Jackson was born March 15, 1767; John Tyler was born March 29, 1790, and Grover Cleveland was born March 18, 1837.

CHOP STICKS

What is the Japanese word for chop sticks?
Hashi.

POCAHONTAS

To what tribe did Pocahontas belong?
Pocahontas belonged to the Wampanoag tribe, of which her father was chief.

CHURCH

What is the real name of the Little Church Around the Corner?
The Church of the Transfiguration, an Episcopal church, is known as the Little Church Around the Corner.

(NOTE: The following pamphlets may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin and a large stamped self-addressed envelope for each to Central Press Bureau, P. O. Box 126, Washington D. C.: "Who's In Hollywood," "Seeing Washington," "Swimming," "Charles P. Stewart's treatise on 'Our Government,' and 'The World War.'")

Bo-Broadway

By JOSEPH VAN RAALTE

SHINES SANS TINSSEL
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—

With the whole of Maeda Lane breaking its neck to look its swankiest, meet Dorothy Stickney who is happiest when she looks dowdy on the stage.

Miss Stickney's career has been what is called "a procession of tacks in clothes," in which she has given magnificent performances.

In the play "Chicago" she was a scrubwoman.

In "Front Page," an ill-laden denizen of the gutter.

Today, in George Kelly's latest success, "Philip Goes Forth," she plays the part of a hopeless little spinster who writes poetry that doesn't sell. Her costume calls for remnants of the attic.

So gifted is Miss Stickney that you leave the theatre forgetting the smartly dressed women in the cast and remembering only the little girl in the shabby frock and frowny hat.

SUPERFLUOUS

Columbia university now offers a course on How to Be a Boss. Strangely enough not a woman has yet enrolled.

CHINAMAN'S CHANCE

New York's Chinese work hard, receive little pay for their labor and don't have much leisure. When they do fare forth in quest of amusement they drift down to Chinatown and spend their time gambling.

They bet on everything under the sun.

There have been games in Chinatown, where more than \$20,000 was wagered on a cockroach race. And, of course, they all play the Chinese lottery which is operated in New Jersey.

Raiding games down there, the police have encountered a room full of Chinks all betting on the num-



SPEAKER LONGWORTH MAY FIND ROAD ROUGH DURING NEXT SESSION

CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON.—From the looks of things when the seventy-first congress adjourned March 4, a bookmaker probably would consider himself on the safe side in offering 2-to-1 odds that Nicholas Longworth will be voted into the speaker's chair again when the seventy-second congress meets Dec. 7.

Two-to-one, however, is plenty generous enough for our bookmaker.

The truth is, there is quite a bit of Republican opposition to Longworth remaining in the speakership next session. This was evident at the G. O. P. caucus, held prior to the departure for home by holdover members and a dozen of the new members-elect of the house of representatives at the recent conclusion of legislative business in the capitol.

Speaker Longworth, Republican Floor Leader John Q. Tilson and Chairman Bertrand H. Snell of the representatives' rules committee, have been a mighty autocratic trio during the last three congresses.

Of course Longworth, Colonel Tilson and Chairman Snell will deny it hotly, but the sitem really works like this:

A new representative, let us say, arrives in Washington, especially charged with the responsibility of getting a fine federal building for the principal city of his home district. If he gets it, he will be re-elected. If he fails, his constituents will pronounce him a flake, and one term will be his limit. Provided he votes as the leaders tell him to vote, he stands some chance of getting it. If he balks, his bill is quietly smothered.

Thus insurrection is kept down. The bosses, once in control, play the rank and file of the members off against one another.

But naturally a large majority is needed. Otherwise a group of malcontents is sure to form and by flopping temporarily over to the minority, transform the latter into a majority and overthrow its erstwhile leadership.

Bosses Longworth, Tilson and Snell have had the required majority hitherto. In the last congress it was a majority of nearly 100. There was an element which would have been glad to rebel, if it could have done any good, but it was not numerous enough to wipe out so wide a margin.

Next December's tally of the representatives will be: Republicans, 218; Democrats, 216; Farmer-Labor, 1.

Of the G. O. P.'s 218 at least 18 are too independent to be counted on by the Longworth-Tilson-Snell triumvirate. The 18, being Republicans, have a slight preference for Longworth for speaker, but it is a preference which he can forfeit readily by fretting the 18 even in some matter of no great importance.

A speaker is not necessarily chosen for a whole session of congress, either. Having been elected, it is assumed, to be sure, that he is elected for the session, but the house can depose him whenever it desires.

Longworth, then, though he

ber of seeds in an orange.

This particular game, it was learned, originated more than a century ago among the coolies working along the Yangtze River.

Old to the Chinks; but new to the New York cops.

wins, will be accepting a two-year job of balancing himself, to all intents and purposes, on a tight-rope.

The tight-rope will be joggled vigorously, too.

Longworth's rulings have not been questioned with any vehemence heretofore, because those who have felt like questioning them have known it would do them no good to try to do so. Henceforward they are sure to be questioned right and left. In many cases they will be questioned no matter which side Longworth takes.

However, should an insurrection develop—should Longworth be voted out of the speakership and Representative John N. Garner, the Democratic leader, be put in his place, Garner's lot will be no happier than his rival's.

In one respect it will be worse. With the Democrats in control of the speakership, the chairmanships of all the house of representatives' committees would pass into Democratic hands and the senior members of nearly all of them are from southern states.

These old-timers certainly would object to yielding to newcomers and the latter as certainly would demand a share of them.

By favoring the southerners, Garner, himself a Texan, inevitably would be accused of sectional prejudice; by arguing for a fair division with the Nordics, he would enrage the formidable Dixieland contingent.

It is lucky, maybe, for Garner that the edge is somewhat with

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Due To Lack Of Vitamins

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

A new and peculiar phase of disease due to lack of vitamins has just come to light. It is caused by the presence of small worms or other animal parasites in the intestine. The worms change the food eaten and apparently remove the vitamins, and the patient acts as if there had been no vitamins in the diet.

One case I have seen reported is that of a little girl two and a half years old, who had an unsightly and painful eruption on the face and neck and hands. It looked very much like a case of food deficiency disease, pellagra, which used to be common in the south. It was found that the little patient was on a wholesome diet, but showed evidence of having the eggs of the dwarf tapeworm.

After the tapeworm was eradicated and a diet rich in yeast and cod liver oil administered, the eruption entirely disappeared and good health was entirely restored.

It is often said of some hearty eater who remains, in spite of his good appetite, thin, that he has a worm which is absorbing his food. Doctors have always scoffed at this, and indeed, patients with tapeworm are usually in good health and nutrition. But here we have a condition where at least partial starvation and food robbing occurs from the presence of parasites.

From such reports as we have there is the chance that this condition is not very uncommon, especially in the southern states.

In countries where intestinal parasites are common, and this in-

Best Turn Deaf Ears To Slander

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

The very best attitude toward slander is one of complete indifference. If you get what I mean.

If a person tells malicious lies about you, you can only contradict them as they are made in your presence. You can be as emphatic as you like in such denials, but your voice cannot reach all the persons who will hear such slander, so what's the use of shouting unduly? Better make your statements as calm and emphatic. They will sound just as convincing, probably more so.

You must face the fact that some people are bound to believe any nasty story they hear about you, whether it is as unfounded of truth or not. Then there will be those who will discount the story and believe part. And there will be the very few staunch friends who will not believe it at all—thank God for them.

JOLLIE JANE: Naturally I do not consider a girl a good friend who says many untrue things about another. The girl you speak of is probably jealous of you. Pay no attention whatever to any remarks she made. The matter isn't worth getting all "hot and bothered" about.

BLUE EYES: Always keep a bottle of hand lotion beside the washbasin and kitchen sink to use after you have had your hands in water for a long time. Glycerine and rosewater, half and half, is a good and inexpensive lotion. Add the juice of a lemon and ten drops of carbolio acid to 25 cents worth of the mixture will make it act as a bleach as well as keeping the skin soft.

If glycerine does not agree with your skin—it doesn't always—use one of the lotions you can buy al-

Tastefully Chosen Gems Charming

By GLADYS GLAD

A famous London stage beauty did a very unusual thing a few weeks ago. As the fashionable first night crowd looked on in amazement, the actress walked on the stage with her necklace of gems twisted over her left ear.

This particular actress possesses a distinctive, a striking type of beauty, and the novel jewelry arrangement she adopted greatly enhanced the individuality of her beauty.

According to the latest reports, the fashion-wise woman employs her ornaments with just this view in mind. She no longer buys her jewelry, whether it be of the Woolworth or Tiffany variety, in "sets." She no longer appears bedecked with earrings, necklace, bracelet, ring, breast pin, etc., all identical in shape and design. She uses her jewelry much more subtly than that.

Some women have only one idea about jewelry—"Them 'at has 'em wears 'em." And the atrocities in jewelry combinations that sometimes result from this idea are indeed deplorable. The gal who clutters up her costume with rings, necklaces, bracelets, jewels that do not harmonize, usually looks more like a walking distasteful case than a smartly dressed woman. Jewelry must be used with prudence and restraint, if it is to enhance one's attractiveness.

Jewelry, correctly and tastefully chosen, will add to almost any woman's charm and allure. It'll bet that more than one female can date her popularity with the opposite sex from the glamour by adding a pair of siren-like earrings to her ensemble! But I repeat, your gew-gaws must be correctly and tastefully chosen, if they are to enhance your attractiveness. They must in the first place, be suited to the occasion. It is hardly in good taste, for instance, to wear a diamond necklace at a tennis match, or a leather-strapped wrist watch at an opera premiere. The formality of the occasion must always be considered.

Your jewelry, in the second place, must harmonize with the colors of your frocks. They need not be of a matching hue. They may be of contrasting color. But they do

have to carry out the general color harmony.

And lastly, your jewelry accessories must be suited to your type. Must express your own individuality. The sweet and simple ingenue would only look ridiculous in the dangling earrings and neck adornments of the vamp. And the vamp would lose half her exotic charm if she adopted the simple, dainty ornaments of the ingenue.

ANSWERS TO QUIRIES
Cod Liver Oil
Skinny: The cod liver oil should be taken after meals for best results. If you do not like the taste of the plain oil, take it in a bit of orange or lemon juice.

Face Powder
R. L. W.: I think that a soft ochre shade of powder would blend harmoniously with your coloring. An astringent should be used after the skin has been cleansed to close the pores.

Henna
Helena: The pure Egyptian henna, made of the leaves of the henna shrub, is not harmful to the hair. The chemical henna, however, is not advisable, as it contains chemical salts.

Feet
J. D. K.: A 25 per cent solution of aluminum chloride in distilled water is an excellent remedy for perspiring feet. Apply the solution for three consecutive nights, and then use once a week.

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SPORT SNAP SHOTS FRAMED by Phil

"The Coach," a house organ of The Lowe and Campbell sporting goods company, with which Ed Reutinger, our former neighbor, is affiliated, has inaugurated a "Believe This or Not" department devoted to unique athletic news, "with apologies to Bob Ripley." Some of the contributions contained in the March number are certainly unusual. Here are a few:

In a basketball game held on a Hoopesteek, Ill. floor, a young lad rushed up to the official and made this substitution: Smith for Hoover. The referee (probably a Democrat) in reply said: "That's a darn good substitution, and the game proceeded."

Milan (Kansas) High School played football last fall for the first time in several years and there were only eleven available players, the eleventh boy having a wooden leg. A game scheduled for the latter part of the week had to be postponed because on Tuesday, Ralph broke his wooden leg. The leg was sent to Kansas City for repair and the football schedule could not be resumed until the leg was returned.

With the score tied and three minutes left to play, a forward on West Frankfort, Ill. high school's basketball team took a long shot at his basket. The ball hit a rafter, came down, hit the floor, bounced up against the backboard and then went through the basket.

The Elkhorn, Wis. High School basketball team won all twelve of its games during 1928-29 and lost all twelve of them in 1929-30.

Brooklyn, Wis. High School lost every game during the 1926 playing season, was invited to a tournament as a "goat" to fill in as the eighth necessary team, and won the tournament honors.

In the first inning of a baseball game between Elmira, Oregon, and Creswell, Oregon, one Elmira player made all three putouts and did not have another putout during the remainder of the game.

The Royal, Neb. High School basketball team is composed entirely of first cousins.

The names of the sports editors of "The Burr," a magazine of the West Philadelphia Catholic High School for Boys, are Reed and Wright.

The Elam, Ia. High School second basketball team in a game with the Chester High School Seconds, scored eight points, but lost the game, 8 to 6. A guard shot the ball in the wrong basket.

In 1927 Seneca, Kan. High School defeated Horton High School in a basketball game only after eight extra periods had been played.

Tom Churchill, was on the mound to pitch a game with the University of Oklahoma last spring against the University of Kansas. The first ball he threw was fouled and hit his wife on the shoulder, she being one among a crowd of more than 3,000 fans sitting in the stands.

During a game between Columbia and Florence High Schools in South Carolina, last fall, the Florence punter kicked the ball from his own twenty-yard line. The ball went back over his shoulder, hit in the end zone and bounced over a canvas strip seven feet high which served as a fence. The kick thus resulted in a safety.

Mr. J. E. Miracle is principal of the Kingdom Come High School at Lincolnton, Ky.

HEAR ADDRESSES AT ANTIOCH CLUB MEET

Addresses by Prof. William M. Leiserson, head of the economics department of Antioch College and Mrs. Charles Florence, Columbus, one of the oldest living graduates of the college, will feature the March meeting of the Columbus Antioch Club Thursday night. Antioch College is a pioneer in the co-operative plan of education whereby its students divide their time between academic study and practical experience in the business and industrial world. The school has numbered several Columbus firms among its employers of students.

MISSIONARY WILL LECTURE AT CHURCH

The Rev. T. R. Francis, Fukuyama City, Japan, will give an illustrated lecture on Japan at the First United Presbyterian Church, E. Market St., Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Francis will use stereoscopic slides to illustrate his talk and the public is invited to attend.

The Rev. Mr. Francis has been located as a missionary in Japan many years but is now on a furlough to this country and is a guest for several days of his cousin, Mrs. Orpha Hull, E. Market St. He plans to return to Japan soon.

BUCCANEERS WILL DECIDE OWN TOURNAMENT FATE ON FRIDAY

The spotlight of public attention will be focused upon the Dayton fairgrounds coliseum Friday and Saturday when eight Class A schools and an equal number of Class B teams; survivors of sectional tournaments last week-end, will fight it out to determine the winners in each division which will represent the Southwestern Ohio district in the state finals at Columbus March 20 and 21.

Xenia Central High and Ross Twp. High, sole surviving Greene

County entrants in the Class A and Class B divisions, respectively, both face probable but not certain elimination in their first round games Friday.

The Buccaneers clash with Cincinnati Hughes, scholastic basketball champions of Greater Cincinnati, at 4 o'clock, while Ross Twp., Class B champions of Greene County and runner-up to Ross, champion of Clark County, in the sectional meet at Springfield, meets Jackson Twp., winner of the Dayton sectional, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

COUNTY WILL RECEIVE \$500 FOR NEEDY CHILDREN FROM STATE

Greene County's share of the \$50,000 appropriated by the state legislature for the purchase of shoes and clothing for needy children will amount to \$500, it is disclosed by H. C. Aultman, county school superintendent.

Procedure to be followed in distributing the money was explained to township superintendents at a meeting in Supt. Aultman's office

Wednesday afternoon, and applications were given them.

March 25 is the deadline date for submitting applications to the state department of education.

Lacking superintendents, Xenia and Caesar Creek Twp., will make applications for a share of the relief to the county superintendent.

Supt. Aultman revealed that in a preliminary survey made a month ago by the state educational department, this county was excluded from the list of counties recommended for a share of the state appropriation, and that he was informed the need here was not sufficiently great to warrant granting Greene County a portion of the money.

Notwithstanding this fact, the superintendent made application for \$1,175 and followed this up by making a personal visit to the offices of the state department. He also appealed for aid for this county to Major E. O. Braught, who has been placed in charge of distribution of the \$50,000 fund, and the allowance of \$500 was the result.

CAESARCREEK WINS FROM BEAVERCREEK NI GRANCE CONTEST

Caesarcreek Grange basketballers scored an easy 41 to 23 triumph over Beaver Creek Grange in a basketball game staged on the Beaver floor Tuesday night. G. Gravit tallied fourteen points for the winners and Merriman scored one less for Beaver. A return game on the Caesar floor will be played Friday night next week. Lineups:

Caesar Grange	G.	F.	P.
Lundy, f	2	2	6
McKay, f	6	0	12
Shambaugh, c	1	0	2
E. Gravit, g	1	0	2
G. Gravit, g	6	2	14
Carback, g	2	1	5
Totals	18	5	41
Beaver Grange	G.	F.	P.
Merriman, f	6	1	13
Turner, f	0	0	0
Zinc, c	3	1	7
T. Zinc, g	1	1	3
F. Zinc, g	0	0	0
Totals	10	3	23

Bowling

For the sake of variety, the team composed of Graham, Spahr, Bell, D. McCoy and Schmidt, aided by a dummy score, won three games in a row in the weekly match in the Business Men's Bowling League Wednesday night. The winners totaled 3,049 pins, recording games of 1,033, 1,037 and 979. Mart Schmidt had a series of 569, Brant Bell rolled 562 and Del McCoy kicked in with 569. Box scores:

No. 1 Team	No. 2 Team	No. 3 Team
Graham 160 176 118	R. Smith 125 131 137	E. Boxwell 159 165 162
Spahr 156 165 179	A. Boxwell 144 167 154	Gibney 127 123 173
Bell 166 205 221	Lang 120 168 164	Turnbull 103 117 177
D. McCoy 181 208 170	Cleaver 128 156 183	Richards 120 171 131
Schmidt 235 158 176	Dummy 125 125 125	Crawford 104 130 128
Dummy 125 125 125		Davis 180 161 200
Totals 1,033 1,037 979	Totals 837 882 888	Totals 793 867 971

RADIO FEATURES IN OHIO

THURSDAY
By International News Service
Rudy Vallee's Orchestra, WEAF, (NBC network), 8:00 p. m.
Blackstone Plantation, WJZ, (NBC network), 9:00 p. m.
Hollingsworth Hall, WLW, Cincinnati, 10:00 p. m.
Radio Roundup, WABC, (CBS network), 11:30 p. m.

FRIDAY
By International News Service
Billy Jones and Ernie Hare, WJZ (NBC network) 9:00 p. m.
Nite Wit Hour, WABC (CBS network) 10:30 p. m.
Popular Night Club, WLW Cincinnati, 11:00 p. m.
Kay Kaser's Orchestra, WTAM Cleveland, 11:30 p. m.
Coon Sanders' Orchestra, WGN Chicago, 12:00 Mid.

EAST HIGH QUINTET BOOKS TWO GAMES

East High School's basketball team has two games on its program over the weekend, visiting Dayton for a contest with the Dayton Hi-Y quintet Saturday night, and entertaining the Portsmouth Hi-Y cagers on the East floor next Monday night. The game with Portsmouth will be the last home game of the current season for East basketballers, it is announced.

FAMED DIRECTOR DEAD
SANTA BARBARA, Cal., March 12.—F. W. Murnau, famous German motion picture director, died yesterday after an automobile accident that occurred as he was motoring to San Francisco enroute to his former home in Berlin.

WILL SPEAK HERE



Dr. Ross Miller, of Wittenberg College, Springfield, will speak at a meeting at the Scout room, 41 W. Main St., Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting will be the first session of a twelve weeks' training school for Scouts, Scout leaders and Scout committeemen.

XENIAN'S SON BUYS TOLEDO CAR AGENCY

Waldo Shank, Toledo, son of the Rev. and Mrs. W. N. Shank, W. Market St., this city, together with J. W. Cobley, Toledo, purchased the Willys-Overland, Inc., factory branch at Adams and Fourteenth Sts., Toledo, this week, according to word received by Mr. Shank's relatives here. Shank and Cobley are also owners of the West Toledo Overland Co. The new company will operate under a distributor franchise and will bear the corporate name of Shank-Cobley, Inc. The change will be effective March 15. The territory under their distributorship includes thirty-six counties in Ohio, Indiana and Michigan. Mr. Shank has been associated with Willys-Overland for more than eighteen years and for the past eight years has been president of the West Toledo Overland Co. Mr. Cobley has been associated with Shank as secretary and treasurer in this company.

JURY WILL DECIDE FATE OF DENISON

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The guilt, innocence of former Representative Edward E. Denison (R.) of Illinois, charged with illegally possessing liquor in his office in the capitol, will be determined by a jury without an instructed verdict. Justice Peyton Gordon, in district supreme court, settled this point today when he overruled a motion by Denison's attorneys for an instructed verdict acquittal. The defense attorneys contended the government had not proved conclusively that the liquor was Denison's.

WILL GET DEGREE

A class of 175 students to be graduated Friday this week at the winter convocation at Ohio State University, subject, however, to last-minute change, includes one Xenia student, James B. Love, candidate for bachelor of arts degree. Fifteen states are represented in the graduating class.



LITTLE GERALD AMBROSE GRIFFITHS, left, at the age of 27 months. Photo was taken in 1909 in Sioux City, Ia., Griffiths' home town.

G. A. GRIFFITHS, right, today, but now a heavyweight boxer and known as Tuffy.

SCHOOL BOARD INJUNCTION IS PARTIALLY LIFTED BY COURT

Probate Judge S. C. Wright, presiding on the Common Pleas Court bench in the absence of Judge R. L. Gowdy, Wednesday ordered that a temporary injunction, previously granted in a suit seeking to unseat Samuel D. Andrews as a member of the Xenia Twp., board of education, be partly dissolved enabling the school board to draw up the monthly payroll at its regular meeting Thursday night this week.

The hearing was held inasmuch as Frank Wolf, as president of the board, and R. E. Bryson, as clerk, have been named co-defendants in the action and under the temporary restraining order heretofore granted, the board would have been powerless to pay salaries of thirty teachers, bus drivers and janitors. The monthly payroll amounts to about \$3,000.

The temporary injunction was therefore ordered lifted as applied to Wolf and Bryson, but the suit against Andrews was not dismissed. Although Andrews recently submitted his written resignation as a board member to President Wolf, the resignation has not been acted upon by the body. It will be considered at the meeting Thursday night.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, March 12.—Reaction, rally and dullness briefly summarized the three stages of activity on the big board this morning. And outburst of selling in New York Central carried that stock down an additional three points to 110½, the low price of the year. Baltimore and Ohio lost about two points and other rails were down a point or so. American Power and Light led the reaction in the utilities and sold off about three points at 55. Westinghouse lost 2½ at 91½. The selling wave soon spent its force and the utilities were as usual the first to work their way to higher price ground. Consolidated Gas, United Corporation, American and Foreign Power and American Waterworks pushed ahead a point or more, "Big Gas" moving up to 165½.

QUOTATIONS

New York stock market quotations received from W. E. Hutton and Co., Mutual Home Bldg., Dayton, at 2:50 p. m., daily:	Yes	To-day
American Can	124½	123
Am. Rolling Mill	29½	29
Amer. Smelting	51½	50½
Anacosta Copper	38½	37½
Atlantic Ref.	19½	19
A. T. & T.	196	195½
Bethlehem Steel	63½	62½
Chesapeake & Ohio	42½	42
Col. G. & E.	42½	41½
Continental Can	57½	57
Continental Oil Del.	9½	9¼
Gen. Foods	53½	53
General Motors	44½	43½
Grigsby-Grunow	6½	6
Hudson Motors	22½	21½
Kroger	31½	31
Packard	44	43
Papa-Publix	44	43
Penn. R. R.	59½	59
Prairie Oil and Gas	15½	15¼
Proctor and Gamble	70½	70¼
Radio Corp.	23½	23
Sears-Roebuck	58	57
Servel Inc.	8½	9
Shelard Oil	13	12½
Standard of N. Y.	22½	22
Standard of N. J.	45½	45¼
Studebaker	23½	23
United Aircraft	144½	143½
U. S. Steel	13¼	13
Warner Bros.	13¼	13
Woolworth	60½	60¼
Citibank Service	177½	177¼
*Ex-dividends.		

PRIESTLEY NOT SO BAD

NEW YORK, March 12.—J. B. Priestley, the British novelist who attacked certain American traditions and ideas, is really a fair sort and means no harm. So declared his wife today. She arrived from England and will join her husband in Cleveland. Later they will sail for Tahiti.

8.00@8.25; 120-150 lbs. \$7.75@8.00; sows steady; bulk \$6.00. Cattle 500; calves 300; market generally steady with some weakness in spots on steers and heifers; medium steers and heifers \$6.75@7.75; with more desirable kinds upward to \$8.50; some common material downward to \$6.00; most beef cows \$4.75@5.50; bulk low cutters and cutters \$2.75@4.00; bulls \$5.00 down; vealers closing steady to 50c higher after steady opening; good and choice \$9.50@10.50; lower grades \$9.00 down. Sheep 250; market salable; supply very light; lambs quotable strong to 35-50c higher or \$9.00@9.50 on better grade handyweights; common and medium \$6.50@8.00; fat ewes quotable \$2.50@3.50. Receipts Wednesday: cattle 472; calves 620; hogs 3,838; sheep 252. Shipments Wednesday: cattle 57; calves none; hogs 170; sheep none.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, March 12.—Hogs: receipts 28,000; market 10c lower; top \$8.20; bulk \$6.50@8.15; heavy weight \$6.80@7.60; medium weight \$7.50@8.20; light weight \$7.90@8.20; light lights \$7.85@8.15; packing sows \$6.15@6.60; pigs \$7.25@7.90; holdovers 3,000. Cattle: receipts 5,000; market strong. Calves: receipts 2,000; market steady. Beef steers: good and choice \$9.50@11.25; common and medium \$8.00@9.00; yearlings \$6.00@11.00. Butcher cattle: heifers \$5.00@9.00; cows \$4.00@6.50; bulls \$3.50@6.00; calves \$6.50@9.00; feeder steers \$5.00@8.25; stocker steers \$6.00@8.00; stocker cows and heifers \$3.50@6.50. Sheep: receipts 17,000; market 25c lower; medium and choice lambs \$8.50@9.25; culls and common \$6.00@7.50; spring lambs blank; yearlings \$7.00@8.00; common and choice ewes \$2.00@5.00; feeder lambs \$7.00@8.00.

Medium cows 3.50@4.25
Best fat cows 4.00@5.00
Bologna cows 2.00@3.00
Bulls 4.00@5.00

XENIA LIVESTOCK

Heavies \$ 7.35
Mediums 7.65
Light Lights and Pigs 7.90
Roughs 6.00

DAYTON LIVESTOCK
HOGS
Receipts, 4 cars; mkt., 10c lower
Heavies, 240-300 lbs. \$ 7.60
Mediums, 200-240 lbs. 7.90
Mediums, 170-200 lbs. 7.80
Lights, 130-160 lbs. 7.40
Pigs, 130 lbs. down 5.50@7.50
Stags 4.00@5.00

CATTLE
Receipts, light; mkt., steady.
Veal calves, ext. top \$ 9.00 down
Med. Veal Calves 7.00 down
Culls 5.00 down
Best butcher steers 7.00@7.50
Med. butcher steers 6.00@7.00
Best fat heifers 6.00@6.50
Medium heifers 5.00@6.00

MARKETS LIVE STOCK

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK
PITTSBURGH, March 12.—Hogs: receipts 1,500; market slow, 35 to 45c more; packing sows mostly 25c off; 150 to 210 lb. weights \$8.75@8.90; 220 to 250 lb. weights \$8.40@8.65; 250 to 320 lb. weights \$8.00@8.65; 100 to 130 lb. weights \$8.25@8.50; medium to good packing sows \$6.50@7.00. Cattle: receipts 10; market nominally unchanged. Calves: receipts 150; market slow and steady; choice vealers mostly \$10.50@11.00; medium to good grades \$7.00@10.00. Sheep: receipts 1,000; market slow, indications lambs weak to lower; supply largely clipped; bid around \$8.25 for fairly good medium weights; asking up to \$9.00 for best handyweights early.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK
CINCINNATI, O., March 12.—Hogs 1,750; holdover 130; market moderately active; mostly 10c higher; light lights largely 25c higher; better grade 160-240 lb. averages \$8.40@8.50; mostly \$8.50 on 230 lbs. down; heavier weights scarce and slow; some 260-300 lbs.



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Bulls 4.00@5.00

PRODUCE

CHICAGO BUTTER
CHICAGO, March 12.—Butter receipts, 5,005 tubs; creamery extra, 30c; standards, 30c; extra firsts, 29@29 1/2c; firsts, 27@28c; packing stock, 15@16c; specials, 30 1/2@31c.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE
CLEVELAND, March 12.—Butter extra, 30c; standards, 30c; mkt., firm; eggs: extra, 21 1/2c; firsts 20 1/2@21c; mkt., steady; live poultry: heavy fowls, 21c; med. fowls, 22c; leghorn fowls, 19c; leghorn broilers, 15c; ducks, 25c; geese, 15@16c; old cocks 13c; market, firm; stags, 20c; capons, No. 1, 28@30c; apples per bu., Rome, mostly \$1.80@1.85; cabbage, Danish type, mostly 50c for 50 lb. sk.; potatoes: round Whites, 90c@\$1 per 60 lb. sack.

DAYTON PRODUCE
WHOLESALE EGGS
Fresh eggs, dozen 22c
Dressed Turkeys, (wholesale), lb. 50c

Retail Prices
Dressed hens, per pound 38c
Country butter, pound 35c
Creamery butter, pound 33c

Eggs, per dozen 24c
Dressed ducks, per pound 38c
1931 Fries, pound 60c
Dressed Turkeys (retail) 55c
Live Turkeys, lb. 45c
Geese, per lb. 30c

Prices Paid at Plant
Hens 16c
Young Geese 14c
Ducks, per pound 15c
Old Roosters, lb. 12c
1931 Chickens, 2 lbs. down per lb. 35c
Turkeys, pound 30c
Eggs, dozen 19c

WHOLESALE BUTTER
(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers Ass'n)
Butter, lb. 32c

XENIA PRODUCE
Live Poultry and Eggs
(Corrected Daily by Greene Bros., 524 W. Second St., Xenia, O.)
Eggs, fresh 17@19c
Good Hens, over 6 lbs. 17c
Good Hens, under 6 lbs. 18c
Young roasters, soft meat, 4 lbs. 22c
Leghorn Hens 13@15c
Stags 10c
Old Roosters 13c
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FRANKLIN OATS TO BE INTRODUCED TO COUNTY THIS YEAR

Franklin oats, a newly developed variety, will be grown on several Green County farms for the first time this spring. John Munger, of Ferguson and L. A. Harner have secured foundation stock of this new variety and will grow it for seed purposes next year.

Franklin oats originated as a plant selection made in 1922 from the Fulghum variety. Its characteristics as compared with Fulghum are as follows: The straw is longer and decidedly stiffer, it matures slightly later than Fulghum, has an open panicle type of head, while the heads of typical Fulghum tend toward the side-head type. The color of the chaff is white, while the chaff of Fulghum is yellow. The kernel color is red.

At the experiment station and county experiment farms over a period of five years it has out-yielded the Fulghum variety five bushels per acre. The variety is particularly adapted to southern Ohio and anyone interested in securing seed can obtain application blanks from County Agent H. A. Drake.

PLAN GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE AT CHURCH

A three-hour meditation service on Good Friday, April 3, will be held at the New Jasper M. E. Church, it is announced by the pastor, the Rev. J. C. Stitzel. The service will be timed to coincide with the three hours that the Saviour hung upon the cross, namely from 12 o'clock noon to 3 p. m. The program is to be divided into seven periods corresponding to the seven utterances of Christ while on the cross. Seven pastors will speak upon the different words spoken by Christ during the hours of the crucifixion and appropriate hymns will be used throughout the service.

Plans are being made to make the service one of the most impressive ever held at the New Jasper Church and further details of the program will be announced later.

WANTS OLD DOCTORS BACK

NEW YORK, Mar. 12.—A plea for the return of the old-fashioned family doctor was voiced by Dr. Louis I. Harris, former Health Commissioner, in an address before an annual meeting of a local medical association. The family physician has been pushed into the background recently by the advent of "quackery," he said.

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Following in the footsteps of his sister, Ralph McPherson, 18, son of Almee Semple McPherson, Los Angeles evangelist, will wed 19-year-old Lorna D. Smith, daughter of a wealthy Oklahoma oil man. Both are shown above.

Ralph's sister, Roberta, was married in Singapore, recently, to the purser on the ship on which she and her mother were passengers.

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COUNTY AGENT WILL SPEAK AT MEETING

County Agent E. A. Drake will speak on "Our Feathered Friends" at a meeting of Miami Twp. Farm Bureau at Bryan High School, Yellow Springs, Friday at 7:30 p. m. Miss Ruth Radford, home demonstration agent, will speak on "The Home Demonstration Agent's Program for 1931."

David C. Bradfute, president of the Greene County Farm Bureau, will discuss reappraisal and taxation and Miss Lenora Northup will give a report on the women's project, "Home Care of the Sick." Miss Janet Dunevant will play a piano solo and Miss Roberta Shaw will give a report on the women's solo will be played by Earl Jacobs. Earl W. Dunevant, township chairman, is urging that all members of the farm bureau and their friends attend the meeting.

EAST END NEWS

MRS. JAMES HARRIS
Correspondent
Tel. 91-R

Mrs. Josephine Jones of Confield, N. C., who was called here by the death of her uncle, Mr. David Lee, has returned to her home. She is a sister of Mrs. Herman Robinson of E. Market St.

The ladies of the Twentieth Century Club appreciated the service rendered them by Mrs. Bernice Gaines, Hughes, by sending her a card of thanks. She accomplished much in her pleasing and quiet way.

Little Miss Aletha Heard, daughter of Prof. Heard of Wilberforce, spent Saturday with her friend, Miss Wilder Amos of Columbus, O.

Mrs. S. A. Amos is engaged in practicing a group of young people

for the rendition of a rainbow wedding to take place in a few weeks. The combined choirs of the First Zion Baptist and Ross Chapel A. M. E. Churches of Jamestown, were guests of the Middle Run Baptist Church this Sunday afternoon and rendered valuable services.

CIRCULATION GAIN

Monthly report of Miss Mildred Sandoe, Greene County librarian, disclosed a gain of 1,335 in the number of books circulated during February as compared with the corresponding month last year. The report showed 289 more books were circulated through county agencies and 1,046 more volumes at the main library.

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WHITE CHAPEL

Mrs. J. L. Beason, Stone Road, was hostess to the Ladies' Aid Society of the White Chapel M. E. Church, Friday afternoon. The meeting was opened with a short business session after which members spent the afternoon sewing. The hostess, assisted by her daughters, the Misses Ruth and Jane Beason, served a lovely refreshment course at the close of the meeting. The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Bootes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Miller, Hook Road, are announcing the

birth of an eight pound daughter Saturday afternoon. Fred Dallas, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Fawcett, Stone Road, is improving, after being threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. William Short entertained several girls Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock, for the pleasure of her daughter, Mary Jane, the occasion being her eleventh birthday anniversary.

Games and music entertained the girls during the afternoon and Mrs. Short served a dainty refreshment course. Those present were the Misses Mary Jeanette Spahr, Helen Louise Bryson, Wilma McClellan, Jean McClellan, Mary Mabel Turner, Merna Weiss, Ida

and Mary Peterson, Margaretta, Martha and Mary Lott, Wanda Lee Meredith, Helen Janice Kyle, Deane Babb and Mrs. Karl Babb.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Peterson entertained the members of the White Chapel Community Club at

a chicken roast at the Keiter Camp Wednesday evening. About forty members enjoyed the occasion.

Mrs. Ruth Bootes Graham is taking a special course at Wittenberg College, Springfield.

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WOMAN TESTIFIES IN OWN DEFENSE

MARIETTA, O., March 12.—With Mrs. Carrie Gourley scheduled to complete her testimony in her trial on charges of shooting with intent to kill her husband, George Gourley, World War veteran, the case was expected to go to the jury today.

The state rested its case Wednesday after introducing purported confessions by the defendant's son, Percy, and Charles Whiting, who is now serving a penitentiary sentence for the attempt on Gourley's life, which declared Mrs. Gourley had planned the crime to collect her husband's life insurance.

Whiting and young Gourley were "hired" to carry out the woman's plan, the alleged confessions asserted.

Gourley's arm was shot away in the attempt on his life. He recovered from the wound and has been sitting with his accused wife in her trial, maintaining his belief in her innocence.

DRY LEAGUE SCORES ANOTHER VICTORY

COLUMBUS, O., March 12.—Adding one more souvenir to the Anti-Saloon League's collection of prohibition victories in the state legislature, the senate health committee today reported that it had killed the Elmer bill to permit the purchase of as much as a pint of medicinal whisky at one time.

By its vote of 7 to 1 against the bill—only the author voting to approve it—the committee in effect ruled that it believes the existing half-pint law is adequate and sufficient to care for the liquor needs of anybody in the state, no matter how ill.

Complaints by physicians that the half-pint law allows less than an ounce of liquor a day, an amount, they said, which is not enough to increase the resistance to the point required in serious diseases, left the committee unmoved.

FARMER ACQUITTED OF MURDER CHARGE

CINCINNATI, O., March 12.—Horace Van Horn, 55, today stood acquitted of first degree murder charges in connection with the death of his nephew, William Lewis. The state had charged that Van Horn deliberately struck and killed Lewis with an automobile.

After deliberating an hour and a half on the case, a jury of three women and nine men returned a verdict of not guilty for Van Horn.

Lewis was killed last November 8 in front of his home here. His son, Walter, testified that his father fell to the ground and was deliberately struck and killed by Van Horn driving an automobile.

Van Horn, a Darby Twp. trustee, denied the accusations and declared he remembered quarreling with his nephew but did not remember running over him with his automobile.

**RUSSIA TO BOYCOT
INIMICAL NATIONS**

MOSCOW, March 12.—A resolution urging the government to curtail all purchases in countries hostile to the Soviet, or those banning its exports, was adopted today by the sixth biennial congress of Soviets now in session here.

The delegates, representing all parts of Russia, were again addressed by Premier Molotov. In concluding his speech he reminded his audience that the menace of foreign military intervention was growing daily.

CHAPLIN ILL WITH COLD

BERLIN, March 12.—Charlie Chaplin remained indoors today suffering from a cold contracted in visits yesterday to various institutions of Berlin in the midst of a bitter winter storm. He cancelled a luncheon engagement at the British embassy.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy cheeks—sparkling eyes—most women can have. Dr. F. M. Edwards for 20 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave his patients a substitute for calomel made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients, naming them Dr. Edwards Olive Tablets. Know them by their olive color.

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A DIURETIC FOR THE KIDNEYS

Now Golden Blooms In Talkie Garden

Juveniles Who Earn More Than the Country's Chief Executive.



HOLLYWOOD, March 11.—This is the golden age for the movie kids. The majority of them have breasted the talkie wave with huge success and are sweeping in the coin right and left.

The lives of celebrities are usually divided into three periods—the beginning, the middle and the end. Jackie had his gorgeous beginning with Charlie Chaplin in "The Kid." Then he began to grow up. For three years he wasn't seen on the screen. It was said Jackie was through. It was said there is "no come-back" for a movie kid. But there was.

Jackie came back in "Tom Sawyer." He picked up his screen career right where he had left off—a feat that very few of his elders have been able to do, especially in this talkie age. He had no accent to unlearn, no talkie scars to get over.

Jackie, now at sixteen, sought court approval in Los Angeles of a contract with Paramount Studios under which he will receive \$7,500 a week. A worthy successor for Jackie's mantle is his younger brother, Robert.

Another juvenile screen wonder is Mitzi Green, who played the part of Betty, with a blonde wig, to Jackie's Tom. Mitzi at ten is the world's wonder child. The other day it was learned that the young lady's life had been insured.

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Goitre Not A Disease

Milwaukee Doctor Makes Remarkable Discovery Milwaukee, Wis.—It has been brought to light by scientific research that goitre is not a disease and is not to be treated as such. Dr. A. A. Rock, Dept. A-2, Box 737, Milwaukee, Wis., a prominent goitre specialist for over 24 years, has perfected a different method remarkably successful. This same method is now being used for a home treatment of goitre cases all over the country with astonishing results. The doctor states that goitre is a condition which grows worse with neglect and recommends immediate attention no matter how small the growth may appear. He strongly opposes needless operations. Dr. Rock is the author of a book that tells in a simple way about treating goitre at home. He has published this book at his own expense and will send a copy free to anyone interested. Write him today. Adv.

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for \$1,000,000, which costs \$15,000 yearly. But this is just a drop in Mitzi's financial bucket.

At the age of eight she was making \$800 a week. Now she, too, appeared with Jackie before Judge McComb in Los Angeles, seeking approval of her new \$1,250 a week contract. She began her career at the age of four, when she announced to her vaudeville father and mother that she could do an imitation of Moran and Mack. She did it so effectively that the Greens included her in their act. At ten she is famous and wealthy, an established movie star, who has never had any adverse criticism.

Another paragon of the screen, who portrays the part of "Skippy" in the flesh, is tow-headed Jackie Cooper. Jackie was selected for the title role, after a nationwide search. The six-year-old boy bears a striking resemblance to the original of the comic strip.

ACCUSED ON STAND
BUCYRUS, O., March 12.—Blanton Ralls, 19, Crestline Negro, was expected to take the stand today in his own defense against charges of fatally shooting Sheriff George Davenport last January 22.

COAL BUSINESS IS SEEN ON UPGRADE

MARTINS FERRY, O., March 12.—Coal business in eastern Ohio is on the upward trend, a survey of recent developments in the industry revealed today.

The Master Fuel Corporation has announced a five per cent wage boost for its miners as a result of long-term contracts the company has received.

C. W. Somers, former owner of the Cleveland Indians baseball club, and his brother, James O. Somers, have announced they will open a mine at Robyville, a suburb of Adena, that will employ 150 men.

TO EXHIBIT COSTUMES

COLOGNE, Mar. 12.—A large Rhinish folk costumes and every-day dress from 1700 to 1900 will be held at Easter in the Cologne Museum of Applied Arts. In different articles of clothing will be exhibited, showing the changing styles of 200 years.

DIES IN DAYTON

Mrs. Amanda B. Fritz, 86, widow of William H. Fritz, died Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Helen Hammond, 450 Watervliet Ave., Dayton. Mrs. Fritz was well known in Yellow Springs where she had often visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Patton, now of Ottawa, O., wife of a former pastor of the M. E. Church. Funeral services will be held at the home of Mrs. Hammond Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and burial will be made in Woodland Cemetery, Dayton.

ADD TOAD STORIES
STRATHMORE, Cal., Mar. 12.—A toad buried in solid hardpan, was found on the D. C. Reynolds



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DRAW THEM OUT WITH A "COUNTER-IRRITANT." Distressing muscular lumbago, soreness and stiffness—generally respond pleasantly to good old Musterole. Doctors call it a "counter-irritant" because it gets action and is not just a salve. Musterole helps bring soreness and pain to the surface, and thus gives natural relief. You can feel how its warming action penetrates and stimulates blood circulation. But do not stop with one application. Apply this soothing, cooling, healing ointment generously to the affected area **once every hour for five hours.** Used by millions for over 20 years. Recommended by many doctors and nurses.

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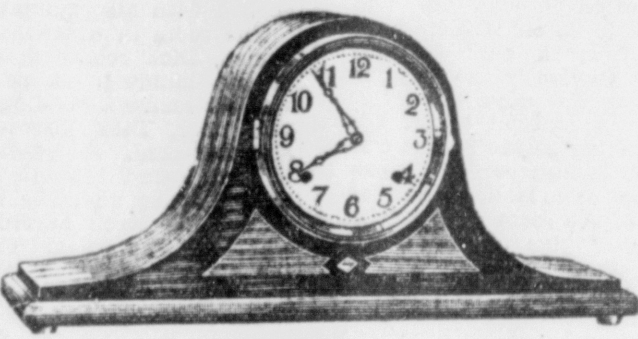
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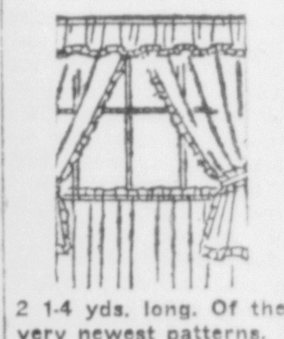
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FLOWERS for all occasions. R. O. Douglas, Florist. Ph. 549-W.

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LOST—Coin purse in Kresge's, Tuesday, containing lavalliers, a keepsake, small amount of change, bus ticket. Reward, 25¢-R.

LOST—Gold orthodontia appliance. Finder call 677-R. Reward.

10 Beauty Culture

ELEANOR DIMMITT Beauty Shop, 12 Leaman St. Expert beauty work and permanents. Haircuts, 25¢.

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KODAK PICTURES are interesting in any season when expertly finished by Daisy Clemans, Steele Bldg.

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PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purposes. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co., 415 W. Main St.

15 Painting, Papering

PAPERHANGING—Guaranteed good work. Reasonable price. Call Elbert Manor, Phone 5-R-4, in care Lawrence Manor.

17 Commercial Hauling

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WANTED—Man or woman with RIG to introduce POLTRY MIXTURE, \$35.00 per week and expenses. Bureau Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

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22 Situations Wanted

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25 Poultry, Eggs, Supplies

WHITE JERSEY Giant hatching eggs. Phone on 132, Jamestown.

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28 Miscellaneous For Sale

THE ARVIN Fan forced electric room heater. For bathroom, nursery, summer cottage, hair and clothes dryer. At Eichman's.

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New Parts and Used Parts for all makes of cars. We buy used cars for wrecking purposes. GORDON BROS. Auto Parts and Garage Open Day and Night 30 E. Second St., Xenia, O.

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59 Auction Sales

THE OLD Gatch homestead, 119 N. Detroit St., will be sold at public auction, March 21, at 2 p. m.

DIVORCE NOTICE

Fred Porter, residence unknown, will take notice that Susie Porter filed suit for divorce, Case No. 19322, in Greene County Court, Pleas Court, charging gross neglect of duty. Answer must be filed within six weeks, by April 16, 1931. 67; 3-12-19-26; 4-2-9-16.

Notice of Application For

Change of Equipment Used by A Motor Transportation Company

Notice is hereby given that Cincinnati & Lake Erie Bus Company, a motor transportation company, handling passengers under Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 54, has filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, application to modify equipment used, as follows:

It desires to add three (3) Twin Coaches, 34-passenger capacity each. It desires to take off three (3) Yellow Coaches, 29-passenger capacity each, and three (3) White Coaches, 24-passenger capacity each.

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A SUN-HOUND?

YES, IF A DROP OF RAIN EVER FALLS ON A SUN-HOUND, HE'S A GONER—IF I DON'T FIND HIM, I'M A GONER

WHAT A BEAUTIFUL DAY!

By GEORGE McMANUS

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MAD LAUGHTER

A THRILLING MYSTERY STORY + by MILES BURTON

CHAPTER 40

Dick's search of the yard did not reveal anything of moment. The place was littered with fragments of disused machinery, which Dick's slight knowledge of engineering told him had not been used for the last fifty years at least. A shaft, very similar in appearance to the one he had already examined on the moor, had been sunk in one corner of the yard, and this showed signs of more recent clearing. A steel structure had been erected above it, to which was attached a pulley. Over this ran a cable, disappearing in one direction down the shaft, and in the other through a hole in the wall of the building.

"Don't go down the mine, daddy," quoted Dick to himself. "Well, I don't know that I want to, particularly, though I suppose there's a cage of some sort at the bottom end of that cable, and a winding engine at the other, inside the building. I don't see much to write home and tell mother about in this blessed yard. If I'm to find anything it will be inside the building itself. The point is, how the deuce am I to get in?"

The door leading from the building into the yard was as solid-looking as the gate had been, and was fitted with a latch and a formidable-looking lock. "It looks as if I'm much forrader, after all my trouble," murmured Dick, laying his hand on the latch reflectively.

To his astonishment, the door was unlocked.

"That's queer," muttered Dick, as he walked through the door. "There can't be anything very valuable in here, if they leave the place open like that. I believe I've come on a fool's errand, after all."

It took a few seconds for his eyes to become accustomed to the comparative gloom of the interior, lighted as it was by a single window set high in the wall. He then perceived that he was in a flagged room, which had once evidently been the winding-house of the mine. The cable, which he had already seen leading down to the shaft, came through the hole in the wall to an old-fashioned winch, actuated by a pair of massive handles. Obviously the only means of raising the cage was by manpower. In contrast to the winch, and standing beside it, was a modern melting-furnace, with a row of crucibles and ladles. And in a corner of the room were stacked a number of pigs of metal, apparently lead.

Dick looked at these things with interest. The old man at the Anchor and Hope had been wrong, then, in his conjecture. The High Mendip Mining Syndicate had not removed everything of value from their premises. The lead, and also the furnace and its appurtenances, would certainly be worth removing and selling, if the Syndicate was concerned to realize its assets. On the other hand, if the Syndicate was merely a cloak for the gang controlled by the Funny Toff, they would not worry about such trifles before their dispersal.

It seemed pretty clear that this must be the case, and that the place had merely been retained by the gang as one of its depots. Its isolated position rendered it ideal for such a purpose. Dick could see at a glance that no serious attempt at mining could possibly have been made. A hand-raised cage could never bring enough ore to the surface to make the place a commercial success, even if the ore existed, which seemed unlikely. Besides, there was no sign of any apparatus for smelting the ore on anything like a large scale. Yet some had undoubtedly been smelted, as the furnace and the pigs of lead proved. Was this only a blind, in case some inquisitive person should penetrate into the works?

The wind had increased to a force, roaring angrily about the deserted building. Stray currents of it found their way in through the unglazed window, raising eddies of dust, and causing a loose sheet of corrugated iron somewhere to clatter maddeningly. There was a feeling of mystery about the place, a suggestion of voices whispering in the inaccessible corners of the roof. Dick shivered in spite of himself, and drew his coat more closely round him. It was just the spot where death might lurk, violent and terrifying. Brooks' face had worn a look of terror. Sir Edric had said; he had seen all the horror of death approaching. And Brooks had died in that very spot, of that.

Dick felt certain. In an attempt to avert the causeless panic which he felt closing round him, Dick endeavored to reconstruct the scene. Brooks had found his way here, following some clue picked up in Wapping. Or, was it not more likely that the clue had been purposely dropped at his feet, that he had been lured here of set purpose?

Then, when he least expected, he had been assailed by superior force, his feet and hands bound, and lowered into the shaft. Dick imagined the heavy creaking of the winch as the cage descended, until it reached the invisible chok-



To his astonishment, the door was unlocked.

This would never do. Dick repressed with a supreme effort, the overwhelming instinct which urged him to escape from the place and its horrible associations, and proceeded with his exploration.

The room in which he stood occupied, Dick reckoned, about half of the building. A second door was set inside a dividing wall, and this door, Dick discovered, was also unlocked. He passed through it, and found himself in an unlighted space where he was forced to use his torch in order to see where he was going. The rays of the torch revealed a huge cellar-like space, which, in the days when the mine was working, had been used for the storage of ore, since the floor was still scattered with small fragments of galena. Off this main cellar, two smaller cellars opened, each closed with an iron door swung on rusty hinges.

So much Dick perceived before his eyes fell upon a small pile of timber, stacked away in a corner. He walked up to this, and examined it idly. It seemed to consist of broken pieces of packing-cases, and Dick was about to turn away from it when he caught sight, beneath the roughly-piled wood, of a

nearly perfect case, the shape of which immediately struck him as familiar. He pushed some of the wood aside, until the whole bulk of the case was revealed. It was exactly similar to the case in which Brooks' body had been packed.

This was yet another fact confirming what was now practically a certainty. The furnace in the outer room had evidently been delivered in these two cases, which had been thrown aside here after their contents had been unpacked. One had been chosen as being of a suitable size and shape to contain a dead body. The other had been left here.

Dick felt a thrill of satisfaction at this new discovery. Nobody could doubt now that this was where Brooks had been done to death. But a moment's reflection showed him that this evidence by itself was of very little value. The point to be ascertained was not so much where Brooks had died, as who murdered him. And so far he had discovered nothing which threw any light upon the identity of the men who had used the premises of the Syndicate.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Margaret Anglin, Famed Actress, Returns To Air

By MILDRED MASON

MARGARET ANGLIN, distinguished American actress, who several months ago inaugurated the Radio Guild's series of plays over the NBC network as guest artist in the Greek tragedy, "Iphigenia in Aulis," will return as guest artist in this week's presentation, "Lady Windermere's Fan," by Oscar Wilde. The play will be heard over the NBC network Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock coming through station WLW, Cincinnati.

The play is said to be typical Wildian with sparkling lines and witty paradoxes centered around a melodramatic plot.

Present Comic Opera

A radio version of Gilbert and Sullivan's comic opera, "Iolanthe" or "The Peer and the Peri," will be presented by a group of artists over the CBS network Friday afternoon from 5 to 5:45 o'clock. The program will not be available through WKRC, Cincinnati, but will come through WAIL, Columbus.

Comedienne Is Guest

Alice Bouden, comedienne, will sing "Fine and Dandy" and "Can This Be Love" from a popular Broadway hit when she appears as guest artist on the Nestle program Friday evening at 8 o'clock over the NBC network through WLW, Cincinnati.

Don Dewey With Band

Freddy Bergin's orchestra is broadcasting nightly through station WLW, Cincinnati, from Castle Farm. The orchestra began its engagement there March 9 and will be there until March 21 inclusive, with the possibility of a



JOE HAYMES

third week. With him is Don Dewey, tenor, whose voice was heard for several years through WLW with Henry Thies and his orchestra. Bergin, pianist with the original Jean Goldkette band in Detroit for six years, has been making a bid for fame with his own band the past three years, gaining success in New England and in the southwest. He has frequently been heard through station WJR, Detroit.

Here's Joe Haymes!

The picture in this column today introduces you to Joe Haymes, that orchestra leader who is directing a junior unit of Ted Weems' band at Hotel Gibson, Cincinnati and is heard daily over WLW, Cincinnati.

On the Air From Cincinnati

THURSDAY, MARCH 12

WLW:

6:00 p. m.—Brazilian American program.

6:30—Old Man Sunshine.

6:45—Organ program, Pat Gillick.

6:00—Bradley Kincaid.

6:15—Salt and Peanuts.

6:30—Dog Talk by Dr. Glenn Adams.

6:45—Lowell Thomas.

7:00—Amos 'n' Andy.

7:30—Phil Cook.

8:00—Los Amigos—The Friends.

8:30—Netherland Plaza Orchestra.

8:45—Hotel Gibson Orchestra.

9:00—The Armo Band.

9:30—Concert Orchestra.

10:00—Hollingsworth Hall.

10:32—Variety.

10:45—Bob Newhall, Sports Slices.

11:00—Old Masters program.

12:00 Mid.—Hotel Gibson Orchestra.

12:30 a. m.—Castle Farm Orchestra.

1:00—Netherland Plaza Orchestra.

1:30-2:00—Salt and Peanuts.

WKRC:

5:00 p. m.—Art Gillham, pianist.

5:15—Meyer program.

5:45—La Geradine program.

6:00—Orpheum Organ recital.

6:15—Fame Finder.

6:30—Studio.

7:00—Morton Downey.

7:30—Men and Banking.

7:45—Orchestra and Soloists.

8:15—Flight o' Time Man.

8:30—News Comments.

9:00—Beltschoover program.

The Theater

"The older movie stars appear jealous at times of the younger ones coming into the pictures."

Take this from Miss Maureen O'Sullivan, who has just returned to her native Ireland for a visit after a conquest of Hollywood in less than a year.

She will tell her friends in Dublin what an amazing place is this United States—not because of the wild life of Hollywood or New York's tall buildings, but because of a cactus. Someone slipped one into Maureen's baggage and broadcast that she was taking it to Ireland as a curiosity from this country. Cactus plants grow in Ireland, too, laughs Maureen.

Maureen wasn't discovered in a Dublin restaurant, as reported in cold print, she says. She is the daughter of a well-to-do retired army officer whose home is in the Dublin suburbs. "Our house is on a hill overlooking the water and there is the loveliest view in the world from it," she says.

Miss O'Sullivan attended school



Maureen O'Sullivan

In Paris, studied music and voice culture and talks without a trace of brogue. She was discovered by Director Frank Borzage in Ireland for John McCormack's film, "Song O' My Heart" and afterwards played with Will Rogers in "A Connecticut Yankee" and "So This is London" and in "Just Imagine" and "The Princess and the Plumber." She has silky bobbed brown hair, a complexion that keeps you guessing and walks like a princess in a hurry.

The old Hollywood happy ending complex seems to have gone by the boards. At Warner Brothers and First National alone, seven scheduled pictures are to end on a tragic note. In John Barrymore's "Svengali" both Barrymore and the heroine dies.

In "Woman of the World," Bebe Daniels goes to jail as her lover makes a date with another girl. Both heroes are killed in "Public

Enemy." Richard Barthelmess dies in "The Finger Points" and Edward G. Robinson will die in "The Genius," also has an unhappy ending. There are two versions to the finish of "Upper Underworld." In one the leading man is killed and in the other his daughter. And Paramount is filming "An American Tragedy." Thus Hollywood is daily robbing its critics of their ammunition.

James Kirkwood, hero of the silent days, has been given a long-term contract by Fox and his current picture is "Young Sinners." Fox has been busy signing up new players recently. Contracts have been given to Joan Bennett, Jeanette MacDonald, Thomas Meighan, Myrna Loy and Greta Nissen.

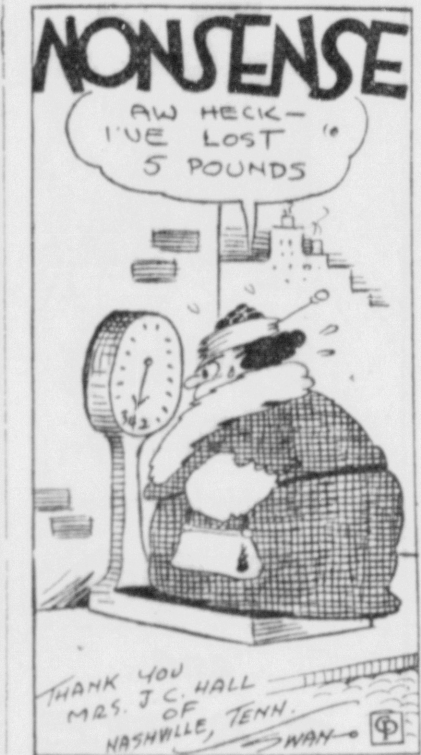
Mary Pickford and Doug Fairbanks will have an eleventh wedding anniversary March 31. They will have to celebrate it apart as Doug is hunting tigers in the Orient.

Twenty Years '11- Ago '31

Mr. W. E. Cox, of the Hooven and Allison Co., is ill at his home on N. King St.

Mr. C. S. Frazer is attending a meeting of the Ohio Shoe Retailers' Association, which is meeting at Columbus. Max Marshall, baby son of County Clerk and Mrs. Leroy Marshall, is ill.

Mr. O. B. Kaufman, former treasurer of Greene County, now connected with the Osborn Bank, has bought a new Buick.



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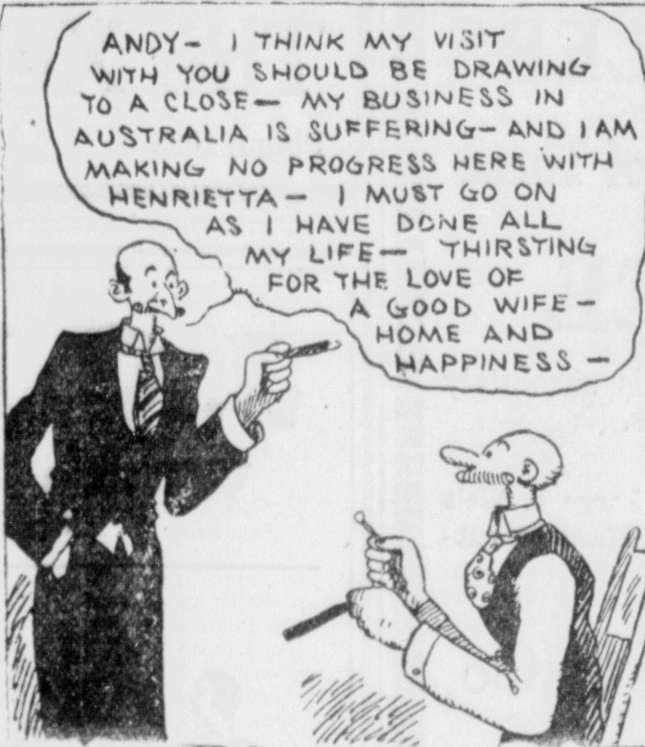


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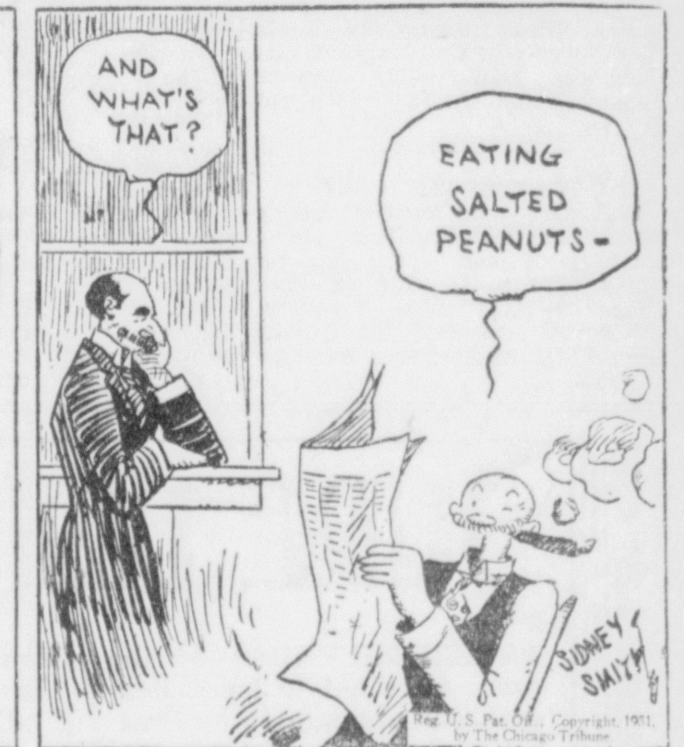
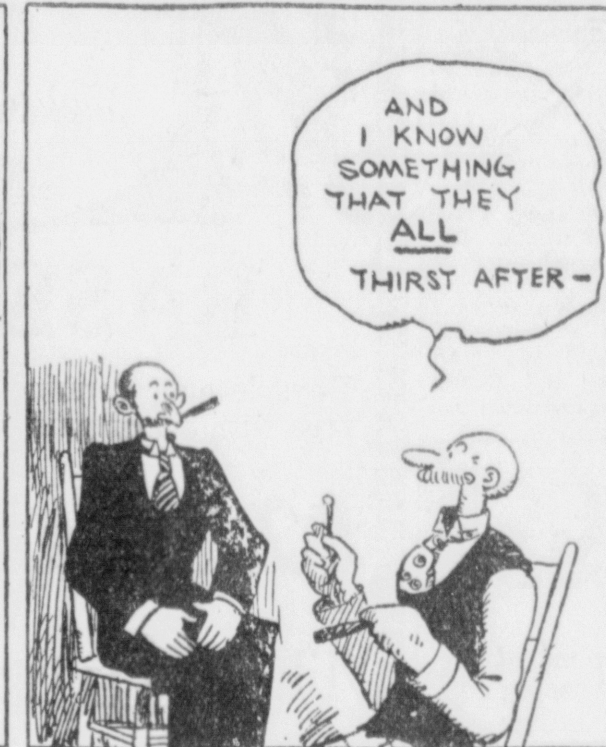
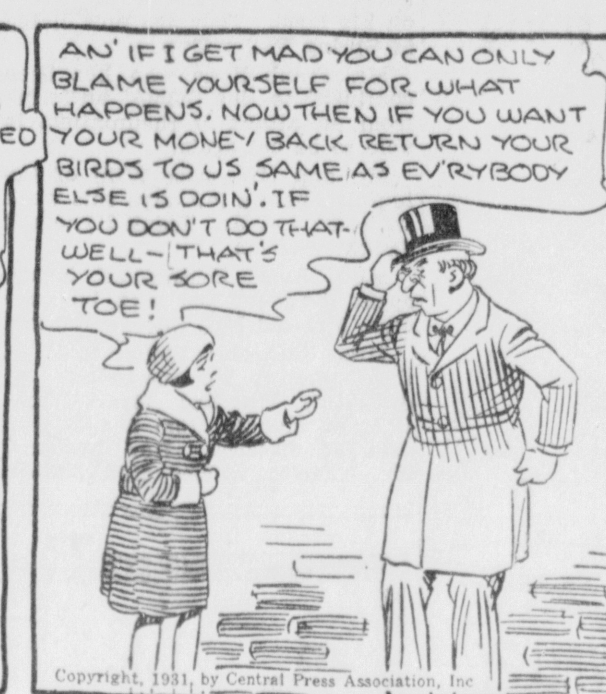
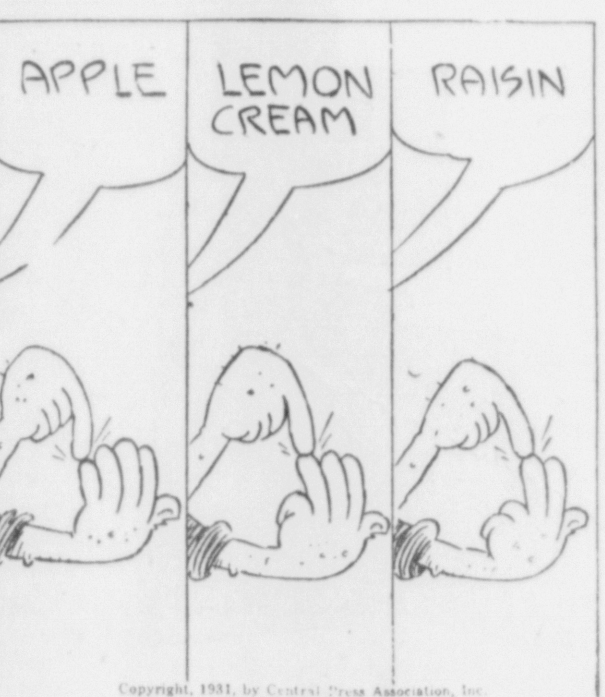
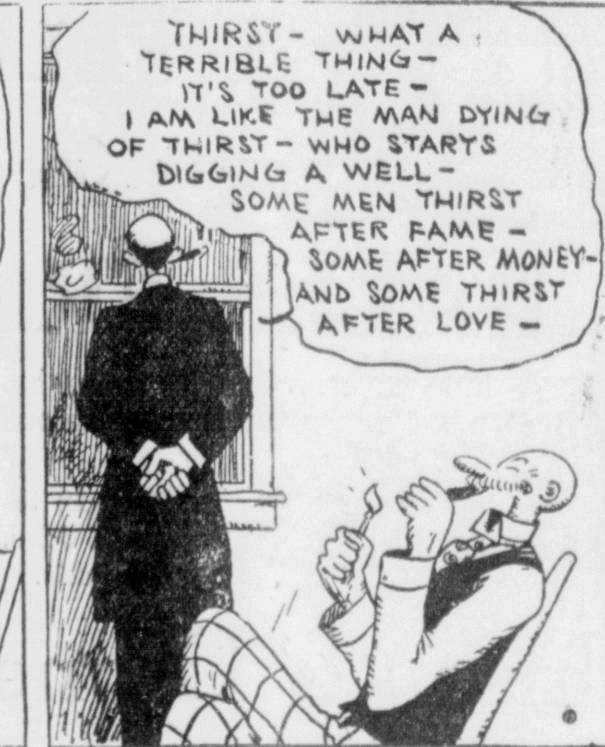
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POPULATION GAINS
BY INFANT BIRTHS

Population of Xenia and Greene County was increased by twenty-six in February for that is the number of births reported to Greene County health authorities. Of this number fifteen were girls and eleven were boys.

Births reported were as follows: Evelyn Lucille Chambliss, Loren Maxon Kersey, Sanford Dean Gregg, Jack David Conklin, Irma Elizabeth Newcomer, Infant Burrell, Sarah Rose Norckauer, Marshall Estridge, Winifred May Dabe, Betty Ann Richards, Thelma Jean Kline, Clara May Shaw, all of Xenia.

Robert Edwin Williamson and Blanche Elizabeth Turnbull, Cedarville; Clarence Wilbur Scovill, Paul Arnold Bass, Bernita Eileen Goodman, Janet Louise Swartley and Kathryn Ann Zeller, of Osborn; Wendell Leroy Williams and Richard Eugene Mason, Jamestown; Merrill Edmund Knoop, Spring Valley; Betty Jane Van Tress, New Burlington; Betty Louise Caraway, Bowersville; Francis Lockwood and Mildred Eileen Kidder, Sabina.

GETS ODD SENTENCE
DETROIT—Convicted of driving while intoxicated, John Lewin must spend one hour a day for thirty days in the Lincoln Park police headquarters as a part of the court sentence. His driving license was also revoked for ninety days.

WEEKLY EVENTS

THURSDAY:
Pride of X. D. of A. Red Men.
Jr. Order.
FRIDAY:
S. P. O.
B. P. O. E.
Pocahontas.
K. of C.
TUESDAY:
Kiwanis.
Rotary.
Aldora Chapter.
Lodge No. 52, I. O. O. F.
WEDNESDAY:
Church Prayer Meetings.
Moose.
K. of P., Ivanhoe No. 56.

SPRING VALLEY

Mrs. Emma Peterson of Bellbrook visited Mrs. Sarah Funderburg Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Vanable and daughter Betty of Xenia spent Wednesday with Mrs. George Kneeb and other relatives.

Mr. Herman Evans of Columbus was the guest Wednesday of his mother, Mrs. Kate Evans.

Mrs. Marie Shaw and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoyle and daughter, near Middle Run.

Dr. and Mrs. William Hartinger and family were the week end guests of relatives in Pomeroy, O.

Mr. George Shaw and family

have moved into the tenant house on his farm. They are now living in Spring Valley Twp.

Mr. Frank Kyne who has been confined to his home suffering from an attack of rheumatism is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wohl of Columbus spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kyne and daughter Helen.

Miss Ruth Benson of Xenia, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Benson.

Mrs. Katherine Weller died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Badgley Monday from a complication of diseases. Her husband, Mr. Charles Weller, died sixteen

years ago. Since then Mrs. Weller had lived with her daughter. Services were held at her late home with burial at Beavertown.

Mr. William Peterson of Pittsburgh who was called here by the death of his aunt, Mrs. William Mendenhall spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson.

Mr. Lawrence Malone of Springfield, was a business visitor in our village Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Darnell of Dayton was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Jane Hord and family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holland of Belmont were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Weller.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Shank of Dayton were guests of Postmaster and

Mrs. F. M. Hiett Saturday afternoon.

Rose Anna Wakely of Dayton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Rose Haines and family.

Mrs. Daisy Haines of New Burlington was the guest Monday of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Oglesbee.

Mrs. Anna Krug is confined to her home suffering an attack of rheumatism.

The farm bureau held a meeting at the community room Tuesday night.

Mrs. Kate Eagle, Mrs. Lena Badgley, Mrs. Daisy Hartsock, Mrs. Bertha Smith, Mrs. Nellie Peterson attended the Achievement Day program at the armory Thursday.

The Jolly Wives Club and their

husbands surprised Mr. and Mrs. Ray Krug Wednesday night, the occasion being Mrs. Krug's birthday.

After spending two months in

Florida, Mr. and Mrs. T. U. Vanpelt and daughters returned to their country home near Spring Valley Sunday.

Mrs. Will Penewit is spending a

few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Oren Gartrell of Dayton.

Little Collen Kyne is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Weckesser of Dayton.

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